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Town Officers, 1908.

Selectmen.

HENRY W. HOLBROOK, Chairman.

JOHN F. HAYDEN.

WILLIAM LAWTON.

Assessors.

JOHN O. HAMILTON,

Term expires 1909

R. E. CUMMINGS,

" " 1910

HARRY T. BISHOP,

" " 1911

Overseers of the Poor.

PATRICK CROWLEY,

Term expires 1909

HARRY T. BISHOP,

" " 1910

ANDREW A. WARRINER,

" " 1911

Town Clerk, 3 Years.

JOHN F. FOLEY, term expires 1909.

Town Treasurer.

JOSEPH F. HOLBROOK.

School Committee.

F. A. UPHAM,

Term expires 1909

CHARLES D. HOLDEN,

" " 1909

JOHN F. ROCHE,

" " 1910

LUTHER H. GAGER,

" " 1910

GEORGE D. MOOERS,

" " 1911

JAMES WILSON,

" " 1911

Board of Health.

DR. HARRY C. CHENEY,

Term expires 1909

DR. JACOB P. SCHNEIDER,

" " 1910

DR. SAMUEL O. MILLER,

" " 1911

Tax Collector.

JAMES AUSTIN HAWKES.

Cemetery Commissioners.

FRED M. RALTON,

Term expires 1909

LOUIS G. BARKER,

" " 1910

DAVID L. BODFISH,

" " 1911

Auditors.

EVERETT W. CARPENTER.

CHARLES A. LeGRO.

Constables.

GEORGE A. BILLS.

MICHAEL COLLINS.

JAMES J. MANNING.

EDWARD F. McKELLIGOTT.

MICHAEL J. SULLIVAN JR.

Fence Viewers.

HENRY D. CONVERSE.

PURLIN M. SHEARER.

EDWARD J. FULLER

Tree Warden.

CHARLES H. KEITH.

Field Drivers.

PURLIN M. SHEARER.

HORACE W. STIMSON.

Highway Surveyor.

CHARLES T. BRAINERD.

Town Clerk's Report.

RECORDED FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1908.

Number of births,	293
deaths,	137
marriages,	127
marriage certificates issued,	123
chattel mortgages,	30
assignment of wages,	3
discharge of mortgage,	11

JOHN F. FOLEY, Town Clerk.

DOGS.

Total number,	.	.	.	.	.	.	340
Males,	.	.	.	.	.	.	304
Females,	.	.	.	.	.	.	36
							340

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN PALMER, 1908.

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	PARENTS' NAMES.
Jan. 1	Paul E.	Joseph and Virginie Painpare.
1	Gueneck.	Albert and Mary Drunka.
3	Mildred H.	George J. and Lena Gunn.
3	Eleanor G.	Collin and Emma J. Oakes.
4	Hazel M.	James L. and Mable L. Tufts.
5	Anthony.	Francois and Marie Racine.
6	Joseph D.	Alfred and Georgianna Bonneville.
8	_____	_____
8	Polly.	John and Levika Topor.

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	PARENTS' NAMES.
Jan. 8	Joseph.	Laurence and Carolina Frodena.
12	Mary H.	Pierre and Mary Humphrey.
13	Bertrand S. L.	Simeon H. and Rose A. Dupuis.
13	Elizabeth N.	George H. and Idalide A. Damon.
18	Dorothy.	Thomas W. and Maggie Cole.
19	George.	George and Genivive A. McCloud.
20	Astrid D.	Leander and Albertine Milde.
20	Nora A.	Michael and Margaret E. Sullivan.
22	Alfred A.	Arthur and Mandy Dubuque.
22	Michael.	Michael and Agnes Skinny.
22	William F.	Frank J. and Annie H. Roche.
23	Frank E.	Fritz and Olger Felling.
25	Joseph H.	John B. and Yvonne Gibouleau.
25	Amelia.	John and Katy Schiquet.
26	Nellie.	John and Caroline Czepiel.
27	Lilie A.	Alcide and Maria Mercure.
28	Joseph.	Stinie and Annie Zobka.
30	Anna.	Frank and Anna Sarno.
Feb. 1	Helena.	Simon and Julia Joreczak.
2	Eueline.	Pierre and Lena Chabot.
2	Wadeswaf.	Jan and Barbara Salomon.
3	Henriette L.	Ernest and Delina Babin.
5	Irosoif.	Martin and Agnes Noga.
7	Joseph N.	Joseph and E. Renaud.
9	Marion M.	Thomas C. and Henrietta Wallace.
10	Rosie.	Abraham and Eva Winer.
12	Marie E.	Louis and Julia Laforest.
13	Victor.	Henry and Celia Cadiaux.
15	John S.	Gus L. and Mary Wristom.
16	Robert E.	Charles E. and Jessie L. Lawton.
17	Vanda.	John and Dorothea Michasek.
21	Edward M.	Howard W. and Margaret Banks.
23	Edmundun J.	Arthur H. and Rosanna Laroche.
25	Jean B.	Jean B. and Aglae Riopel.
25	—	Peter and Annie Valkoch.
27	Anthoney.	Peter and Menie Koutyka.
27	Marianne E.	Joseph and Georgianna Landry.

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	PARENTS' NAMES.
Feb. 28	Thomas.	Thomas and Mary Callahan.
28	Wladyslaw.	Maciej. and Mary Robek.
28	Anthoni.	Joseph and Bridget Zutch.
29	Philomen.	Philomen and Julianna Labelle.
29	Charles.	Albert and Zofie Marmiska.
Mar. 2	Helen C.	Wm. J. and Grace G. Birmingham.
5	Maria A.	Peter and Rose Bleau.
6	Dorothy H.	John F. and Anna Roche.
6	Gabrielka.	Michael and Sophie Monika.
7	Mary.	Joseph and Annie Miga.
7	Stecheswana.	Solneck and Honoreta Zimnie.
10	Joseph W.	William and Maria Pigeon.
11	Louis S.	Louis and Ronalda Brouillette.
12	Gladys.	Frank W. and Louise Fleury.
13	Louise.	Joseph F. and Lillian Davis.
14	Frances F.	Arthur and Gertrude Wilcox.
16	Stanie.	John and Annie Masiacz.
17	Ignace.	John and Zophie Stahawiecz.
18	Dorothy.	Louis D. and Edith H. Sird.
20	Joseph A.	Onesime and Valentie Dinelle.
23	Bridget.	John and Marcia Gwodz.
25	Careten N.	Neil and Anna Johnson.
25	Ernest C.	Ernest and Emma Guay.
29	Bridget.	Teddy and Mary Monietz.
Apr. 2	Elson L.	Arthur and Cora Ives.
4	Maria M.	Wilfred and Prudentia Beauchamp.
5	Margaret G.	John F. and Ina E. Cullen.
7	Maude C.	Leonard B. and Margurite W. Alberty
8	Beatrice.	Israel and Delia St. Onge.
10	Michael.	John P. and Mary S. Dawson.
11	Helen M.	William and Ellen Murphy.
11	Harry.	Thomas H. and Margaret Dewire.
11	Mabel May.	James and Clara Kingdon.
14	Esther E.	Charles and Emily Norberg.
15	Mary.	William and Felice Roman.
17	Maria A. E.	Albert and Maria Lebeau.
19	Marguerite.	Charles and Albertine Godro.

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	PARENTS' NAMES.
Apr. 19	Staney.	John and Mary Fabian.
19	Maria E.	George and Adina Breault.
20	Wastaw.	Mieczyslaw and Henena Orsolinski.
25	Maria E.	Euclide and Eugenie Poitras.
26	Annetta.	Patrick and Annie Cavanaugh.
26	Florence.	Fred and Emma LaFave.
26	Zofia.	Stannie and Annie Bak.
29	Catharine G.	Joseph and Kate Mongean.
29	Ernest W.	Thomas and Adalaide E. Cook.
30	Louis.	Peter and Eva Swirk.
30	Gladys.	Herbert C. and Elizabeth Jewett.
May 1	Marion.	Michael and Mary Sullivan.
2	William.	Arthur and Harriet Chabot.
4	Beatrice I.	Richard and Flora Laplante.
4	Antoine A.	Paul and Dorilla Bengle.
4	Julia.	Paul and Anniella Pietrka.
5	Mary L.	Thomas and Elizabeth Longtine.
7	Vanda.	Stany and Franciska Marcinice.
7	Mary.	Kaztan and Nellie Lziak.
8	Staney.	Michael and Elenor Frederick.
8	Dorothy G.	Melvin and Bertha MacNeill.
10	Tonck.	Staney and Skovera Albert.
15	Annie.	Edward and Julia Izack.
15	Stephen.	Michael and Dorothe Minkalis.
16	Frank.	Joseph and Katie Mogal.
16	Edward.	Joseph and Ulka Kulig.
18	Annie.	Anthony and Mary Bignard.
18	Agnes.	Anthony and Mary Bignard.
19	Mary.	James and Mary Smith.
21	Marie L.	Hubert and Louise Morin.
23	Stephana.	Albert and Annie Wilk.
24	Tofild.	Jacob and Victoria Tenczar.
25	Wladyslaw.	Charles and Victoria Zimba.
25	James.	John and Mary Tébousky.
26	Mary.	Hugh and Annie Fulton.
29	Marie A.	Wilbrod and Georgianna Chandronis.
June 2	Julia.	John and Katie Majouck.

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June 5	Harold A.	Adolph and Bettie Lunkvest.
5	John.	Martin and Julia Ruseck.
7	Mary I.	George and Clarinda Babin.
7	Lois W.	Irving C. and Jennie S. Greene.
7	Helen.	Horace G. and Bridget Todd.
8	Staphena.	Waxewec and Amnice Novak.
9	Michael.	John and Mary Nowak.
9	Russell P.	Ollo L. and Christina T. Fairbanks.
10	Marie J.	George and Martinne Lafranchaisse.
11	Albert.	John and Paulina Sthygo.
11	Joseph E.	Francis and Marie L. Brodeur.
13	Staney.	Joseph and Mary Rolinsky.
13	John.	Michael and Catherine Moynahan.
17	Michael.	Michael and Sophia Piszarke.
18	Martin.	John and Julie Scovera.
19	Annie.	Michael and Katy Magara.
20	Grace L.	Sidney and Mae Trumble.
21	Joseph A.	Louis and Lizzie Fountain.
22	Stuart F.	James and Martha Summers.
23	Ector.	Charles and Rosalba Guillette.
26	Georgianna E.	Alexander and Rose Palin.
26	Margaret.	William and Kate Donovan.
26	Zophia.	Simon and Annie Brozim.
28	Mary R.	Clement and Presilla Racette.
28	—	—
July 1	Wadeswava.	Andrew and Annie Papougensky.
6	Mary.	Isaac and Lizzie Cole.
7	Ethel.	David and Lizzie Cole.
8	Annie.	Henry and Catharine St. Peters.
12	Mary A.	William and Mary Laplante.
12	Stanislav.	Joseph and Annie Likesak.
13	Stanie.	Charles and Egi Kilbassa.
14	Marie.	John and Mary Zahara.
14	Joseph.	John and Mary Zahara.
14	Irene A.	Ernest and Dorothe Plummer.
17	Stanie.	Frank and Celia Medloski.
18	Marion.	Peter and Mary Babineau.

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July 20	Joseph A.	Alfred and Melina Belanger.
21	Michael.	Albert and Julia Surowrecki.
23	Ellen.	John and Julia Dunn.
23	Charles E.	Charles J. and Delia Butler.
23	Anna.	Joseph and Franciska Scivowiaki.
24	Charlton C.	Clayton and Ethel M. Cole.
26	Edward.	Velentine and Maggie Stuaski.
27	John.	Breowswa and Mary Leror.
27	Caroline.	Stannie and Annie Kresi.
27	Frank N.	Emil and Salina LaCrosse.
28	— — —	— — — — —
Aug. 2	Steffh.	Ulick and Mary Mckhell.
4	Harry W.	Harry W. and Margaret S. Hamilton.
6	Stanley.	John and Mary Fabian.
7	Edward J.	Edward and Rose A. Longtine.
8	Kenneth O.	Charles and Mary Simpson.
10	Homer.	Peter and Delia Wemette.
15	Bromick.	Felix and Mary Stuicka.
16	William I.	William and Margaret Hoyle.
17	Wacrwac.	Michael and Annie Mastalyz.
17	Hazel.	John and Minnie Smith.
17	Edna.	Walter and Annie Ritchie.
18	Stafania.	John and Mary Zalunski.
19	Myrtle E.	Benjamin A. and Mabel A. Greene.
22	Stanley.	Stanley and Antonia Sholk.
23	Joseph.	John and Mary White.
24	Stephen.	Martin and Yadwiga Filch.
25	Louis.	Michael and Bessie Voliska.
25	Katie.	Albert and Susie Rusek.
25	Myrtel A.	Albert and Ruby Walder.
25	Evelyn R.	Purlin M. and Leonore Shearer.
27	Omer E.	Enoch and Flora Pigeon.
31	May Martha.	George A. and Flora Bennett.
31	Mary S.	Alfred and Georgiana Benoit.
Sept. 1	Henny.	Andrew and Katie Sajdok.
5	Julia.	Lawrence and Kate Kuza.
5	Katie.	Michael and Mary Vakosky.

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Sept. 6	Peter.	Albin and Alexandra Paprota.
6	Marie J. C.	Arthur and Hermandie Gervais.
6	Ladislas O.	Henry and Parmelia Lavilotte.
7	Julia.	Stany and Katy Michawiecz.
8	Esbyta.	Maryan and Stanie Whidyka.
9	Watzwa.	John and Attie Kojeck.
9	John.	Hugh and Mary Flynn.
11	Joseph.	Adam and Maryanna Dugal.
12	Grace.	Charles and Margaret Dullahan.
12	Frank.	Benj. and Mary Sznutik.
12	Evelyn L.	Leslie C. and Mina L. Stevens.
13	Marie F.	Adolph and Malvina Clang.
14	Joseph.	Frank and Julia Axalmbia.
19	—	Lawrence and Carolina Kapinos.
20	Clarence E.	Severin and Anna Bourdon.
21	Kate.	Martin and Anna Kulik.
22	Edward.	John and Kate Pietryka.
22	Charles H.	Charles H. and Anna Burns.
23	Emily W.	Benj. and Emily Sinclair.
23	Zophie.	Joseph and Mary Vrobel.
24	Laura G.	Artemas A. and Bessie M. Whitney.
24	Alma W.	Wilbur E. and Sofia E. Carter.
25	Bridget.	John and Malvina Babawiecz.
26	Stanislava.	Peter and Mary Bordiga.
26	Marianna.	Peter and Mary Bordiga.
27	Franciska.	Ignatius and Annie Kovalsick.
29	Elmer D.	Frank H. and Helena A. Lamb.
30	Eddy.	Frank and Emelia Salomon.
30	Joseph.	Casemar and Carthage Phalaxtus.
Oct. 4	Joseph W.	Joseph and Regina Paquette.
6	Henry E.	Henry E. and Annie A. Murphy.
7	Joseph.	John and Amelia Czepiel.
8	Joseph.	Joseph and Mary Plyarda.
9	Maggie J.	William J. and Lizzie A. Sinclair.
10	Doris.	Jason and Lilian Palmer.
10	Helen.	John and Stane Kosmiga.
12	Emelia.	Wadeswava and Cecelia Novak.

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Oct. 12	Carl R.	Alfred and Matilda Nordloff.
13	John.	Adam and Agnes Kapinos.
13	Michael.	Thomas and Nellie Skawrenski.
15	Roy William.	John W. and Alice Simpson.
16	Helene E.	Noe and Lina Bouthillier.
16	John.	Staney and Katie Bzdar.
16	Wladyslaw.	Martin and Broniswava Kapinos.
18	Chester.	Frank and Mary Zilk.
20	Donald J.	Daniel J. and Mary E. Connor.
22	Alfred R.	Maurice and Ida Kelly.
22	Mary E.	Magloire and Eugenie Cantin.
22	Zofia.	Joseph and Annie Labida.
24	Staphia.	Constant and Ellena Graniltzky.
25	Staffia.	Michael and Carolina Koanick.
25	Adam.	Lawrence and Apolonia Bigda.
25	Annie.	Andrew and Genifor Gasiroek.
27	Dorothy M.	Charles and Sarah E. Johnson.
28	Isabella C.	Donald and Murdina Chisholm.
Nov. 1	Tadeck.	Casemir and Catherine Cajeck.
2	Charles.	Stany and Leone Shob.
3	Joseph.	James and Nellie Mekalis.
5	Mary.	Frank and Annie Lask.
5	Leo.	John and Annie Krawicz.
6	Adolph.	Frank and Annie Skovera.
7	Alexander.	Frank and Annie Sawitchetchky.
9	———	Charles and Hannah Gullmus.
11	Staffia.	Michael and Mary Potchous.
11	Ruth E.	Herbert L. and Katherine A. Capen.
15	Zophia.	Peter and Podomia Dulak.
18	Brodyslawa.	Jacob and Kate Mazur.
20	Edwin C.	Patrick and Lena Daly.
21	Anthonia.	Anthony and Mary Krolls.
22	Staney.	Wladyslaw and Victoria Lysik.
22	Leonel N.	Alfred and Agnes Robillard.
23	Yadwiga.	Martin and Mary Jacunski.
27	Frank.	Peter and Mary Gernon.
28	Jennie.	Andrew and Agnes Kustwan.

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Nov. 29	Louis E.	Arthur and Lilian Laplante.
29	Annie.	Albert and Mary Pietryka.
30	Raymond.	William and Liza Stone.
Dec. 2	Mary.	Joeseeph and Carolina Sloreck.
2	Mary.	Frank and Annie Koudfia.
3	William H.	William M. and Marion Maury.
3	Kenneth H.	Omar W. and Mary J. Marcy.
3	Edward.	Michael and Zophie Michiewiecz.
7	Marguerite E.	Alfonso E. and Daisy E. Ruby.
10	Balisleloff.	Leon and Ellen Suzowiez.
11	Mary.	Joseph and Josephine Chayia.
12	Rosie.	Michael and Mary Novack.
13	Oliver A.	Albert and Mary L. Fountaine.
14	Ellen.	Patrick and Catherine Sullivan.
15	Stanislawa.	Wojiech and Frances Frederick.
18	Leon P.	John and Alexandra Chesnolevitch.
20	Lucien O.	Joseph and Christiana Sirard.
20	Marie Y.	Arthur and Olive Lord.
22	Stephen.	John and Julia Niejadlik.
22	Cecelia.	Stanislaw and Anna Misiowek.
24	Albert.	Stanislaw and Mary Michalik.
27	Mary.	Martin and Katy Souпка.
28	Mitchalis.	Joseph and Katy Kroul.
29	Anthony.	John and Stanie Papouga.
30	August H.	Albert and Barbara Hnilka.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN PALMER, 1908.

DATE.	GROOM.	RESIDENCE.	BRIDE.	RESIDENCE.
Jan. 1	Joseph L. Irwin,	Phila., Pa.	Helen S. Buck,	Palmer
1	Alfred O. Carter,	Thorndike	Mabel K. Walker,	Thorndike
6	Francis Worchol,	Three Rivers	Frances Kolk,	Three Rivers
6	Edward Krol,	Three Rivers	Karolina Walas,	Bondsville
6	Antoine Cumiji,	Three Rivers	Wortaka Baszkurski,	Three Rivers
8	John E. Swicegood,	Salisbury, N. C.	Ora B. Skinner,	Palmer
13	Stanislaw Papuga,	Thorndike	Katarzyna Wanat,	Thorndike
13	Wazeniec Bocick,	Bondsville	Magdalena Kubik,	Bondsville
13	Walenty Golas,	Holyoke	Annie Nedwpska,	Three Rivers
13	John Pliska,	Thorndike	Mary Dzieczek,	Thorndike
13	Mikas Pocus,	Three Rivers	Mariena Trons,	Three Rivers
14	Howard A. Potolaski,	Worcester	Minnie Goldberg,	W. Warren

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Jan. 14	Walenty Baron,	Three Rivers	Julia Florek,	Three Rivers
15	Harry W. Hamilton,	Palmer	Margaret S. Stewart,	Palmer
15	Louis J. Brainerd,	Palmer	Blanche P. Cushman,	Monson
17	Robert Brown, So. Manchester, Ct.		Ann Cole,	Three Rivers
20	Albert Pietryka,	Belchertown	Mary Turza,	Belchertown
20	Peter Fillinsky,	Monson	Alexandra Murack,	Thorndike
20	John Sroki,	Bondsville	Julia Kapinos,	Bondsville
27	Frank Lich,	Bondsville	Anna Godak,	Bondsville
27	John Ruseck,	Three Rivers	Catharine Szencyk,	Ludlow
30	Sidney L. Jewell,	New York	Helen E. Swift,	Waterbury, Ct.
Feb. 3	David Cole,	Three Rivers	Eliza Moffatt,	Three Rivers
3	Albert Jajesnica,	West Warren	Clara Godek,	Thorndike
3	Joseph Szworst,	Three Rivers	Teresa Sasur,	Three Rivers
10	Michael Misiewicz,	Three Rivers	Zofia Mistarka,	Three Rivers
10	John F. Cullen,	Palmer	Ina A. Girouard,	Bondsville
17	Stanislaw Sok,	Thorndike	Antoine Pliska,	Thorndike
17	Wijiech Hinkar,	Bondsville	Barbara Pisrogowma,	Bondsville
17	Piotr Dulak,	Three Rivers	Apolonia Sipial,	Three Rivers
17	Wojciech Frederick,	Three Rivers	Franciska Baron,	Three Rivers
17	John Novobilsky,	Bondsville	Agnes Murzecsnskor,	Bondsville
17	John Brutka,	Thorndike	Yuzeba Paydos,	Thorndike
18	Pawal Koynzoclek,	Three Rivers	Baldina Ozech,	Thorndike
22	John Papuga,	Thorndike	Stanislawa Bozek,	Thorndike
24	Antoni Mamulski,	Bondsville	Victoria Wegazyn,	Bondsville
24	Ludwik Nictupka,	Three Rivers	Anna Murach,	Three Rivers
Mar. 2	Noah F. Plant,	Palmer	Hannah V. Kennedy,	Palmer
2	John Kapcinski,	Bondsville	Teresa Kos,	Bondsville
3	Peter Czylikowicz,	Three Rivers	Amelia Cypiall,	Three Rivers
10	Oliver J. Favro,	Palmer	Vina R. Freak,	Three Rivers
11	Ernest H. Hutchinson,	Ware	Bertha L. Beardsley,	Palmer
20	Wilson Dunlop,	Three Rivers	Anna J. Moffatt,	Three Rivers
26	Sydney R. Trumbull,	Springfield	May M. Suttis,	Palmer
Apr. 3	Phillip Surlo,	Palmer	Mary Grazia,	Italy
8	Louis G. Stacy,	Palmer	Minnie M. Morgan,	Wilbraham
15	Frank S. Keith,	Palmer	Ruth E. Fiske,	Palmer
21	Edward F. Nolan,	Chester	Nellie A. O'Connor,	Three Rivers
22	Daniel Finerty,	Palmer	Mary Fenton,	Belchertown
22	Jeremiah J. Kelly,	Thorndike	Elizabeth L. Coogan,	Indian Orchard
27	Burton E. Loring,	Palmer	Myrtice M. Drury,	Worcester
May 4	Louis Mayotte,	Three Rivers	Georgianna Lapoint,	Three Rivers
18	Arthur L. King,	Palmer	Clara M. White,	Palmer
18	Walenty Kosterzaba,	Three Rivers	Teofla Niemiec,	Three Rivers
18	Wojleeh Dzura,	Bondsville	Kunda Ceck,	Bondsville
25	Jozof Szczepanek,	Thorndike	Karolina Nowak,	Thorndike
25	John Ciepielo,	Three Rivers	Annie Gruszswka,	Three Rivers
27	Marcien Supka,	Thorndike	Katarzyna Drzal,	Thorndike
29	Daniel M. Rogers,	New Britain	Mary P. Christie,	Tarsus, Turkey in Asia
June 3	Andrew C. Cordner,	Chicopee	Florence E. Bond,	Bondsville
3	Tadensz Stadwicke,	Bondsville	Anna Sypek,	Bondsville
3	Wojciech Krystofik,	Three Rivers	Franciska Slowakiewicz,	Three Rivers
4	Dennis J. Begley,	Agawam	Anna Moynahan,	Bondsville
9	Armand Pinpare,	Three Rivers	Marea Cote,	Holyoke
10	Jeremiah Rourke,	Monson	Catherine Crimmins,	Palmer
13	Thomas Vennert,	Palmer	Anna S. Abare,	Three Rivers

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June 13	Augustus Riel,	Palmer	Florence Dubuque,	Belchertown
17	John J. Burke,	Palmer	Bridle Walsh,	West Springfield
20	William J. Phillips,	Three Rivers	Harriet A. Wood,	Three Rivers
24	William Gingras,	Thorndike	Leda M. Strong,	Indian Orchard
24	Louis D. Herrick,	Chesterfield, Vt.	Maverette A. Randall,	West Chesterfield, Vt.
27	Ralph Senecal,	Three Rivers	Isabel Herren,	Three Rivers
28	Joseph F. Baron,	Palmer	Marie L. Lord,	Thorndike
30	Daniel F. Kelliher,	Springfield	Catherine Griffin,	Bondsville
July 22	Jendrzj Bartula,	Thorndike	Amelia Czajkowski,	Thorndike
29	Joseph Kolbusz,	Thorndike	Zophia Zimney,	Thorndike
Aug. 4	Andrej Drzat,	Thorndike	Mary Mavsicka,	Ware
4	Teofil Wonszewic,	Three Rivers	Eva Polowska,	Three Rivers
10	Edward J. Provencal,	Palmer	Mary M. Bovat,	Palmer
11	Samuel Beauregard,	Bondsville	Mary Thomas,	Bondsville
16	Orville S. Leemon,	Monson	Mae I. Perkins,	Monson
18	Peter Chrabosz,	Bondsville	Zofia Chmura,	Bondsville
19	Patrick H. McKelligott,	Thorndike	Irene M. Brown,	Palmer
19	Michael Warcho,	Thorndike	Zofia Szydlo,	Thorndike
19	Albert Orszulak,	Three Rivers	Zofia Golej,	Three Rivers
23	Franklin J. Young,	Palmer	Ruth M. Marsh,	Palmer
26	Marcin Tzyk,	Thorndike	Rozali Zlotek,	Thorndike
29	Joseph Watson,	Palmer	Victoria Cody,	Palmer
Sept. 5	Charles Turner,	Three Rivers	Mary A. Leggett,	Three Rivers
7	Anthony Ostofinski,	Three Rivers	Jozefa Wieszczyk,	Three Rivers
8	Cyprian Stec,	Thorndike	Zofia Wolak,	Ware
9	Stanislaw Grada,	Thorndike	Honorata Czdlo,	Ware
9	Charles A. Callahan,	Ludlow	Florence H. Leary,	Palmer
10	Wojciech Rykala,	Three Rivers	Rosa Moskal,	Three Rivers
12	Louis Demlo,	Palmer	Emilia Dasca,	Palmer
15	Ploti Hmura,	Bondsville	Wiktoria Czwiek,	Bondsville
15	Joseph Kowalski,	Three Rivers	Helena Dempkowski,	Clinton
28	George W. Authier,	Palmer	May E. Hemphill,	Palmer
30	Fred K. Davis,	Springfield	Gertrude L. Richardson,	Springfield
Oct. 3	Richard H. Hamer,	Eagleville, Ct.	Caroline R. Marsh,	Eagleville, Ct.
12	Rufus Flynt,	Palmer	Rebecca C. Robeson,	Bingham, Me.
12	Stanislaw Kaminski,	Bondsville	Annie Kirklewski,	Bondsville
13	Ignace Jonosz,	Three Rivers	Anine Moskol,	Three Rivers
14	Wladyslaw Bysiewicz,	Thorndike	Maryana Hrmota,	Thorndike
19	Zygmunt Wojsik,	Three Rivers	Kunegunde Albin,	Three Rivers
27	Thomas Bak,	Thorndike	Jolia Laby,	Thorndike
28	Arthur A. Palin,	Three Rivers	Bertha M. Tracy,	Amherst
28	Stanislaw Misteka,	Three Rivers	Agneska Boduh,	Wilbraham
28	Ludwik Gwozdzianski,	Thorndike	Anna Krol,	Thorndike
Nov. 3	Walenty Zayac,	Three Rivers	Agata Adanczyk,	Three Rivers
3	Stanislaw Baldiga,	Thorndike	Maryana Lemanska,	Thorndike
4	Solon W. Kendall,	Windham, Vt.	Cornelia Hawley,	Palmer
4	Alexander Lagowski,	Three Rivers	Marana Czupka,	Three Rivers
10	David H. Crosby,	Palmer,	Eva M. Freak,	Three Rivers
11	Joseph Czaja,	Three Rivers	Victoria Kaznoch,	Three Rivers
12	William H. Whitney,	Ludlow	Jessie R. Sholes,	Palmer
17	Waurzewiec Bogac,	Three Rivers	Maryana Godricz,	Three Rivers
17	John Krul,	Three Rivers	Agneska Kornoc,	Thorndike
24	John Powers,	Wilbraham	Mary Connors,	Wilbraham
24	John Krawiec,	Bondsville	Apolonia Pietros,	Bondsville

DATE.	GROOM.	RESIDENCE.	BRIDE.	RESIDENCE.
Nov. 25	Wladyslaw Lykarczyk,	Three Rivers	Konegunda Szczepanek,	Three Rivers
26	William H. Grady,	Palmer	Gustava Wick,	Palmer
26	Irving K. Clark,	Palmer	Mary E. B. Peterson,	Palmer
28	John Mickleson,	Palmer	Lena Osterholm,	Palmer
Dec. 5	Lawrence Brothers Jr.	Palmer	Nellie Lamb Rose,	Palmer
12	Frances C. Wilson,	Palmer	Jeanette Russell,	Palmer
26	William Otis,	Thorndike	Hattie Coto,	Thorndike

DEATHS REGISTERED IN PALMER, 1908.

DATE.	NAME.	YRS.	MS.	DS.
Jan. 6	Nellie E. Marcy,	66	9	
14	Michael Swencki,	18		
14	Stanislaw Botoldryga,	3	6	
19	Thomas J. Cavanaugh,	41		
21	George Nelson Stone,	83		5
21	Elizabeth J. Kenerson,	69	5	22
23	Mary E. Phillips,	6	4	21
24	Irna I. Prindle,	1		24
27	Carsten N. Christianson,	8	3	
Feb. 2	Bridget Sullivan,	54		
4	Mary A. Krystolik,	38		
6	Walter Corbin,	82	10	
9	Francis M. Connor,	64		
9	Sophia A. Rice,	93	11	28
10	Dora Laplant,	3	11	3
16	Jennie Stearns,	4		
23	James Kennedy,	38		
23	-----			
28	Aurore Paquette,	14	11	
29	Julia Skrzyniaz,	2	5	
Mar. 9	Marguerite Ramsden,	74	3	
15	Margaret E. Marchia,	30	10	2
20	Michael Holden,	53		
24	Anna Lanigan,	18	9	24
25	Catharine Hartnett,	75		
29	Dorilla Fortier,	16	6	
31	Walter Robillard,	14	4	14
Apr. 4	William Robillard,	5	6	
4	Anthony Zych,		1	8

DATE.	NAME.	YRS.	MS.	DS.
Apr. 5	Anna Longtine,	55		
5	Tekla Kinescik,	19		
9	Noella Boutin,		3	15
11	Pawel Porada,			14
13	William Abare,	46	2	18
16	Marie Fontaine,	70		
17	Louisa Patnaude,	21	11	28
25	Helena Nietupskie,		4	
27	George Desjardin,	91	6	23
28	James L. Summers,	6	11	28
29	Nelson Rivers,	50		
May 6	Mary A. Stone,	92	7	10
7	Rosalie Bugawa,	18		
8	Kovnela Golas,		7	
12	John F. Cullen,	30	8	19
13	Julia Pittaker,			5
14	John B. Beauregard,	63		
17	Georgie A. Mongean,	36	9	4
18	-----			
18	-----			
18	Harold A. Doyle,	7	11	18
23	John F. Wagner,	43		
25	-----			
30	Elizabeth Damon,		4	10
June 7	Marie I. Babin,			3
12	Julia A. Shearer,	92	3	10
12	Peter Neveu,	50	10	
13	Clarence M. Johnson,	6	9	
18	Lucy Racine,	71		
22	Charles O. Squares,	65		
23	Mary Kennedy,	21	3	
30	Helena Thomas,	1	4	
July 1	Stella Mastalez,	1	8	
4	Francis McCann,	22	6	10
7	Stany Zohara,			1
7	Mary Zohara,			1
12	Susan P. Allen,	77		22

DATE.	NAME.	YRS.	MS.	DS.
July 13	Mariana Ambrazewionse,		6	7
15	Ellen T. Connell,	33		
19	Samuel Sharratt,	74		
23	Anna Swrowieska,		One-half Hour	
26	Joseph Strychos,		10 Minutes	
28	_____			
31	Mildred Chihaj,		6	
31	Michael Olejarczyk,	24		
Aug. 3	John Liro,			6
5	Dorothy Cole,		6	
13	Bartholomew Moynahan,	60		
14	Faith M. Davis,	16	4	5
16	Adolph Matykor,		8	
17	Michael Wahswski,	40		
19	Franciscek Moryl,		3	
25	Leona Morin,		3	7
25	Sarah S. Stebbins,	66	6	12
26	Wojciech Ziask,	2	4	26
26	Alfred Chaput,	3		
26	Charles F. Place,	54	7	7
30	Meriat Monson,	68	10	
Sept. 1	Irvan D. Wood,	60	6	10
3	Ellen Shanley,	80	4	10
3	Ambrose Pigeon,	35		
5	Joseph Teellek,			5
6	Dora Kosah,	1	7	
7	William H. Kenyon,	25	2	4
9	Henry W. Racine,	2	8	
17	Marguerite Cullen,		5	10
19	Cora M. Cummings,	23	5	
20	Stany Shague,		1	
24	Irene M. Brault,		5	15
25	Hector Guillette,		3	1
25	Edith M. Ellithorpe,		1	21
26	Margaret Henderson,	75 yrs	1	1
30	John Cucpiel,	1	6	
Oct. 5	Sebastyan Kubik,	32		

DATE.	NAME.	YRS.	MS.	DS.
Oct. 8	John Netch,	29		
9	John Miga,	1	9	
10	Sophranie Benoit,		1	2
20	Charles L. Holden,	70	6	12
26	Edward Drowbers,			14
27	——— ———			
29	Gilbert Walker,		15	9
30	Michael Pietras,	60		
30	Michael Kravia,		1	20
Nov. 1	Margaret Dawson,	71		
3	Julia Wagner,	74		
7	Johanna Sullivan,	65		
9	Joseph Kos,			3
11	Mervia L. Capen,	77	7	
12	Mary L. Girouard,	52	5	
22	Benjamain Parsons,	69	2	12
22	William Bowen,	49	2	27
26	Herbert J. Morgan,	38		
30	Joseph Papuga,		1	10
25	John Bigda,	23		
Dec. 4	Louis Carr,	68	3	
6	Zoe Viens,	61		25
9	Noe Roux,	51	9	
11	Maryanna Lach,		1	6
13	Stepi Mazur,			24
14	Clemento Giglio,	29		
14	Edward M. Banks,		9	23
14	Apolonia Topor,		11	
15	Rosia Nowek,			5
15	Wladyslaw Mioiwies,			15
16	William B. Fenton,	85	5	
22	Ezidor Noiseux,	3		
22	Julia C. Smith,	86	9	
19	Joseph Burdzal,	32		

Selectmen's Report.

CONTINGENCIES.

Appropriation—	\$3,050.00
April 6.	
Teles P. Bousquet, services janitor Town House,	\$ 9.80
W. & L. E. Gurley, apparatus for sealer,	25.40
S. H. Hellyar, insurance Town House,	30.00
C. S. Ruggles, placing election booths,	1.50
E. W. Carpenter, postage for selectmen,	3.00
J. J. Manning, delivering ballot box,	2.00
C. E. Shumway, returning ballot box,	1.00
J. F. Hannifin, sharpening picks, etc.,	1.70
John McKelligott, labor on watering tub,	24.00
Patrick Sullivan, labor on watering tub,	14.00
Boston Duck Co., material watering tub, Bondsville,	14.62
C. D. Holden, cuspidors,	3.00
S. O. Miller, returning births, and vaccination,	5.00
W. H. Brainerd, survey King street extension,	10.00
Palmer Water Co., supplying water tank,	8.00
Lynde & Gould, paper and envelopes,	2.33
D. E. Marcy, driving hearse in March,	30.00
D. E. Marcy, rig to Bondsville,	1.25
D. E. Marcy, teams for milk inspector,	5.00
W. F. Waite, services and expenses, milk inspector,	27.00
Palmer Journal, printing town reports, etc.,	233.37
April 22.	
Patrick Ferris, labor, retaining wall, Thorndike,	36.75

Martin Kennedy, labor, retaining wall, Thorndike,	\$ 4.00
M. J. McKelligott, labor, retaining wall, Thorndike,	4.70
James Crean, labor, retaining wall, Thorndike,	24.90
G. E. Keith, repairs, Town House,	7.50
W. M. Sullivan, repairs, Town House,	8.80
H. B. Keith, repairs, Town House,	4.00

May 4.

James Summers, forest fire at Blanchardville,	2.00
E. J. Duncan, " "	2.00
M. J. Farrelly, " "	2.00
D. J. Connors, " "	2.00
N. J. Comfort, " "	2.00
F. L. Gunn, " "	2.00
M. S. French, " "	2.00
E. B. Taylor, " "	2.00
Charles Talmadge, " "	2.00
C. E. Fuller, " "	2.00
F. D. Thompson, " "	2.00
F. B. Wilcox, " "	2.00
C. W. Chamberlin, " "	2.00
Felix Fournier Jr., " "	2.00
James Summers, fire in Roche house, Thorndike,	2.00
C. E. Fuller, " " "	2.00
E. B. Taylor, " " "	2.00
F. J. Roche, " " "	2.00
M. S. French, " " "	2.00
J. E. Learned, " " "	2.00
C. B. Thomas, " " "	2.00
E. J. Duncan, " " "	2.00
C. A. Royce, " " "	2.00
J. F. Luman, " " "	2.00
J. G. Randlett, " " "	2.00
L. J. Dean, " " "	2.00
F. L. Gunn, " " "	2.00
W. S. French, " " "	2.00
D. J. Connor, " " "	2.00
James Summers, fire at Cooley's Crossing,	2.00

C. E. Fuller,	fire at Cooley's Crossing,	\$ 2.00
E. B. Taylor,	" "	2.00
F. J. Roche,	" "	2.00
E. J. Duncan,	" "	2.00
Henry Lovett,	" "	2.00
D. J. Connor,	" "	2.00
L. J. Dean,	" "	2.00
N. J. Comfort,	" "	2.00
F. L. Gunn,	" "	2.00
F. B. Wilcox,	" "	2.00
James Summers,	" Gibbs' Crossing,	2.00
C. E. Fuller,	" "	2.00
D. J. Connor,	" "	2.00
J. E. Learned,	" "	2.00
F. B. Wilcox,	" "	2.00
M. S. French,	" "	2.00
W. S. French,	" "	2.00
E. A. Maxwell,	" "	2.00
F. L. Gunn,	" "	2.00
H. T. Huntington,	" "	2.00
M. J. Farrelly,	" "	2.00
E. J. Duncan,	" "	2.00
C. B. Thomas,	" "	2.00
C. E. Fuller Jr.,	" "	2.00
C. E. Fuller, team,	" "	2.00
James Summers, car fare,	" "	1.20
George A. Bills, fire at Mt. Dumplin,		2.00
James Summers,	" "	2.00
D. J. Connor,	" "	2.00
Lewis Chalk,	" "	2.00
F. L. Gunn,	" "	2.00
W. S. French,	" "	2.00
M. J. Farrelly,	" "	2.00
L. J. Dean,	" "	2.00
F. B. Wilcox,	" "	2.00
M. S. French,	" "	2.00
J. E. Learned,	" "	2.00
George A. Bills, fire at Forest Lake,		1.00
C. E. Fuller,	" "	1.00

James Summers, fire at Forest Lake,	\$ 1.00
F. J. Roche, " "	1.00
M. S. French, " "	1.00
W. S. French, " "	1.00
Henry Lovett, " "	1.00
D. J. Connor, " "	1.00
Lloyd Wiggins, " "	1.00
S. K. Dimock, " "	1.00
Wm. Thompson, " "	1.00
Louis Chalk, " "	1.00
F. L. Gunn, " "	1.00
C. E. Fuller Jr., " "	1.00
J. E. Learned, " "	1.00
C. E. Fuller Jr., car fare " "	.20
B. F. Emery, fire " "	1.00
E. Phinney, " "	1.00
Charles Place, " "	1.00
P. M. Emery, " "	1.00
B. F. Emery Jr., " "	1.00
George A. Bills, " Thorndike cemetery,	1.00
D. J. Connor, " "	1.00
W. E. Day, " "	1.00
E. J. Duncan, " "	1.00
John Lyman, " "	1.00
M. J. Farrelly, " "	1.00
C. E. Fuller, " "	1.00
E. B. Taylor, " "	1.00
George Maher, " "	1.00
N. J. Comfort, " "	1.00
William Nephew, " "	1.00
Jerry Lynch, " "	1.00
Mr. Foster, " "	1.00
Mr. Roche, " "	1.00
D. E. Marcy, teams to forest fires,	8.50
A. F. Bennett, fighting forest fires,	5.00
H. W. Holbrook, auto to inspect saloons,	3.00
T. J. Crimmins, delivering ballot boxes,	2.00
B. F. Emery, inspecting beef,	11.00
A. W. Brownell, Assessors notices,	2.65

Palmer Journal, adv. Sealer and Milk Inspector,	\$12.50
D. E. Marcy, driving hearse in April,	42.00
Whitcomb & Faulkner, barrel lime,	2.00
W. H. Brainerd, plan of Arnold street,	5.00
Rockwell & Churchill Press, license blanks,	5.25
A. H. Bartlett, dog license leaves,	3.00
S. M. Phillips, returning deaths,	15.75
A. W. Lloyd, repairing harness for hearse,	1.00
Palmer Firemen's Ass'n., putting up booths,	2.00
Palmer Trucking Co., carting town histories,	.75
R. H. Smith Man'fg. Co., patching stamps,	.35
D. L. Bodfish, opening graves,	6.00

June 1.

M. J. Moynahan, sharpening tools,	7.60
S. A. Ramsden, hauling gravel,	8.00
D. E. Marcy, rig for Sealer,	1.50
Whitcomb & Faulkner, hammer,	.70
James Summers, stands for Sealer,	6.25
W. F. Waite, locks,	.75
W. F. Waite, Inspector of Milk,	14.35
C. N. Ellithorpe & Son, material for Town House,	27.67
D. E. Marcy, rigs in May,	33.00
H. H. Paine, Burial Agent,	74.00

July 6.

Hannah Loftus, team to Palmer,	1.00
Joseph Bondsville, labor, self and team,	4.00
S. H. Hellyar, insurance,	3.94
Teles P. Bousquet, care of Town House,	4.50
C. V. Railroad, sewer permit,	1.00
Johnson's Bookstore, Tax Collector's book,	2.75
Palmer Journal, Town Warrant, etc.,	15.50
Cemetery Commissioners, opening graves,	8.00
Thorndike Co., suppling watering trough,	5.00
D. F. Dillon, on account Town Counsel,	100.00
Michael Collins, services July 4,	3.00
Michael Sullivan Jr., services July 4,	3.00
H. A. Northrop, services July 4,	3.00
E. F. McKelligott, services July 4,	3.00
G. A. Bills, services July 4,	3.00

Charles Thomas, services July 4.	\$ 3.00
Aug. 3.	
W. F. Waite, milk inspection,	4.25
W. F. Waite, lettering guide boards,	14.50
St. Anne's Church Soc., opening 26 graves,	52.00
D. E. Marcy, driving hearse, June and July,	48.00
H. W. Brainerd, survey King street extension,	5.00
H. W. Brainerd, survey engine house,	6.00
William Lawton, wood for Town House,	6.00
E. F. McKelligott, special services,	2.00
M. J. Sullivan Jr., special services,	2.00
Hobbs & Warren Co., blank forms,	1.62
J. F. Holbrook, conveyance to Shaw District,	2.50
H. H. Paine, burial agent,	37.00
Sept. 3.	
D. E. Marcy, teams in August,	33.00
D. E. Marcy, teams for Milk Inspector,	5.00
E. P. Brown, labor, guide boards,	1.50
F. F. Marcy, lumber, guide boards,	.88
C. H. Keith, inspecting cattle,	47.50
D. F. Austin, labor on watering tub,	1.25
Cemetery Commissioners, opening graves,	12.00
Oct. 5.	
E. W. Carpenter, postage for selectmen,	2.00
W. F. Waite, milk inspection and expense,	3.20
D. E. Marcy, teams for firemen,	2.00
D. E. Marcy, teams for firemen,	4.00
D. E. Marcy, driving hearse,	42.00
Palmer Journal, poll tax lists, etc.,	49.80
Cemetery Commissioners, opening 4 graves,	8.00
Nov. 2.	
D. F. Dillon, fire insurance,	129.00
D. E. Marcy, rig for Milk Inspector,	1.25
D. E. Marcy, driving hearse in Oct.,	27.00
T. J. Crimmins, services at Fair,	6.00
E. F. McKelligott, services at Fair,	6.00
Michael Collins, services at Fair,	6.00
M. J. Sullivan Jr., services at Fair,	6.00
J. J. Manning, police duty two nights of Fair,	6.00

D. E. Marcy, rigs for brush fires,	\$ 8.00
James Summers, brush fire, Hog Hill,	2.00
C. E. Fuller, " "	2.00
F. D. Thompson, " "	2.00
C. E. Fuller, team, " "	2.00
James Summers, " Three Rivers road,	1.00
C. E. Fuller, " " "	1.00
E. B. Taylor, " " "	1.00
F. L. Gunn, " " "	1.00
J. F. Lyman, " " "	1.00
E. J. Duncan, " " "	1.00
F. D. Thompson, " " "	1.00
Henry Lovett, " " "	1.00
W. French, " " "	1.00
D. J. Connor, " " "	1.00
M. J. Farrelly, " " "	1.00
C. E. Lawton, " " "	1.00
G. B. Loux, " " "	1.00
N. J. Comfort, " " "	1.00
L. H. Dean, " " "	1.00
M. S. French, " " "	1.00
James Summers, " Bondsville,	2.00
C. E. Fuller, " "	2.00
F. J. Roche, " "	2.00
F. L. Gunn, " "	2.00
D. J. Connor, " "	2.00
C. B. Thomas, " "	2.00
W. S. French, " "	2.00
M. J. Farrelly, " "	2.00
Henry Lovett, " "	2.00
E. J. Duncan, " "	2.00
C. A. Royce, " "	2.00
M. S. French, " "	2.00
Henry Talmadge, " "	1.00
Fred Canterbury, " "	1.00
W. F. Waite, services and expenses milk inspection,	2.35
B. F. Emery, inspecting meat,	17.00
Carter's Ink Co., record ink,	1.25

A. E. Fitch, insurance,	\$ 63.00
E. E. Hobson, insurance,	63.00
Bay Path Printery, postal cards,	1.30
A. I. Randall, notices,	6.00
American Express Co., cartage,	.50
G. S. Holden, auto to Four Corners,	1.50
R. E. Johnstone, watering tub,	5.00
Cemetery Commissioners, labor,	6.00
L. G. Barker, opening grave,	2.00
December 7.	
G. A. Bills, serving warrants,	19.00
James Summers, car fares,	1.40
James Summers, brush fire, Forest Lake,	2.00
C. E. Fuller, " "	2.00
L. H. Dean, " "	2.00
G. B. Loux, " "	2.00
F. B. Wilcox, " "	2.00
G. E. Mayor, " "	2.00
D. J. Connors, " "	2.00
C. A. Royce, " "	2.00
E. J. Duncan, " "	2.00
F. J. Roche, " "	2.00
C. E. Lawton, " "	2.00
F. L. Gunn, " "	2.00
J. E. Learned, " "	2.00
M. S. French, " "	2.00
W. S. French, " "	2.00
C. B. Thomas, " "	2.00
James Summers, " Four Corners,	2.00
E. B. Taylor, " " and	
car fares,	2.00
G. B. Loux, " "	2.00
James Crean, labor, watering tub, Thorndike,	8.30
Michael Cavanaugh, labor, watering tub,	
Thorndike,	1.00
C. H. Bannister, services as registrar,	15.00
S. W. Lyon & Co., cleaning sewer,	.50
S. H. Hellyar, insurance Memorial building,	37.50
J. J. Manning, delivering ballots,	2.00

W. H. Brainerd, services and expenses survey new street near Shearer's Corner,	\$ 10.00
C. E. Shumway, returning ballot box,	1.00
Palmer Journal, pistol licenses,	5.75
Palmer Steamer Co., erecting booths Nov. 3,	2.00
D. E. Marcy, rig to Cooley's bridge,	.75
D. E. Marcy, driving hearse in November, Cemetery Commissioners, opening 3 graves, Dec. 16.	25.75 6.00
Palmer Journal, tally sheets, etc., Jan. 4.	26.13
Cemetery Commissioners, opening grave,	2.00
Charles Thomas, services, Sarno case,	10.50
G. A. Bills, services, Sarno case,	9.00
H. A. Northrop, services, Sarno case,	3.00
James Manning, services Sarno case,	3.00
T. J. Crimmins, delivering ballot boxes,	2.00
C. H. Giroux, returning 122 births,	30.50
H. A. Smith, returning 46 births,	11.50
T. A. Harwood, cleaning Selectmen's room,	2.50
Byram Woodhead, pictures, Sarno case,	5.00
D. E. Marcy, driving hearse in Dec.,	36.00
French Catholic Society, opening graves,	76.00
D. F. Dillon, services Town Counsel, Feb. 3.	100.00
S. O. Miller, returning 24 births,	6.00
C. H. Keith, inspecting meat,	97.00
Cemetery Commissioners, opening grave,	2.00
B. F. Emery, inspecting meat,	29.00
Palmer Journal, cards, etc., Sarno case,	12.00
John F. Twiss, returning ballot boxes,	4.00
George Barber, Registrar of Voters,	15.00
S. R. Carsley, returning births,	2.00
F. A. Smith, Registrar of Voters,	15.00
H. C. Cheney, returning births,	9.50
J. P. Schneider, returning births,	6.25
C. F. Smith, inspecting animals,	22.00
Joseph Belanger, returning deaths,	20.00
D. E. Marcy, driving hearse in Jan.,	36.00

C. S. Ruggles, placing booths, Feb. 15.	\$ 1.00	
D. E. Marcy, driving hearse to Feb. 15,	6.00	
D. F. Dillon, Town Counsel,	115.55	
James Summers, services as Chief Engineer,	50.00	
Teles P. Bousquet, caring for Town House,	9.50	
E. F. Sullivan, returning 26 births,	6.50	
R. E. Cummings, postage for Assessors,	3.47	
Thomas Roche, opening graves,	54.00	
J. F. Holbrook, postage,	9.40	
J. F. Foley, postage and express,	6.35	
John W. Loftus, death returns,	18.00	
G. A. Bills, serving town warrants,	10.00	
M. F. Sullivan, returning deaths,	5.00	
		\$3,044.03

NIGHT POLICE.

Appropriation—		\$1,600.00
T. J. Crimmins,	\$399.96	
Michael Collins,	399.96	
E. F. McKelligott,	399.96	
M. J. Sullivan Jr.,	399.96	
		\$1,599.84

LIGHTING STREETS.

Appropriation—		\$4,500.00
Central Mass. Electric Co.,	\$4,500.00	
		\$4,500.00

USE OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

Appropriation—		\$750.00
April 6.		
Clark & Hastings, provisions, R. LaPlant,	\$ 4.80	
W. L. Shaw, stamped envelopes,	16.24	
Emerson Laboratory, examinations and expense,	29.70	
May 4.		
Emerson Laboratory, examinations,	8.60	
Albert Wilk, services,	13.33	

H. H. Paine, fumigating and expense,	\$ 15.80
American Express Co., cartage,	1.00
June 1.	
State Treasurer, Michael Granfield, state hosp.,	17.20
Palmer Journal, pamphlets (" Rules ") and Cards,	30.00
July 6.	
F. H. Quimby, fumigators, etc.,	12.05
Emerson Laboratory, examinations,	4.20
Clark & Hastings, goods for Fred Robinson,	64.07
Whitcomb & Faulkner, pail,	.35
George Bengle, shoes for Fred Robinson,	8.75
Emerson Laboratory, examinations,	8.60
American Express Co., cartage,	2.60
J. P. Schneider, telephone and express,	1.42
August 3.	
City of Worcester Hospital, Merritt LaPlant,	63.00
Quimby Pharmacy, 2 doz. fumigators,	6.80
American Express Co., cartage,	.25
Sept. 8.	
Louis Bresette, wages lost,	66 06
Joseph Belanger, coffins and robes,	38.00
Emerson Laboratory, examinations,	2.20
Oct 5.	
H. H. Paine. fumigating 11 houses and car fare,	11.60
American Express Co., cartage.	.50
Nov. 2.	
American Express Co., cartage,	2.25
Dec. 7.	
J. P. Schneider, express and telephone,	1.50
S. O. Miller, one visit to John Netch,	1.00
Joseph Lapolice, pay lost during quarantine,	22.00
Adolph Claing, pay lost during quarantine,	16.00
J. W. Loftus, burial John Netch,	18.00
Electric Express Co., cartage,	.30
American Express Co., cartage,	.75
Feb. 3.	
H. H. Paine, fumigating and car fare,	10.80
F. N. Carpenter, clerk of board,	25.00

Emerson Laboratory, examinations and telephone,	\$ 35.45	
Quimby Pharmacy, fumigators,	16.20	
Electric Express Co., cartage, Feb. 15.	1.15	
Electric Express Co., cartage,	.30	
		<u>\$577.82</u>

BONDS TOWN OFFICERS.

Appropriation—		\$145.00
S. H. Hellyar, bond, Treasurer,	\$ 75.00	
S. H. Hellyar, bond, Collector,	60.00	
S. H. Hellyar, Clerk,	10.00	
		<u>\$145.00</u>

AUDITORS.

Appropriation—		\$ 40.00
E. W. Carpenter,	\$ 20.00	
C. A. LeGro,	20.00	
		<u>\$ 40.00</u>

SEALER WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Appropriation—		\$100.00
W. F. Waite, salary as Sealer Weights and Measures,	\$100.00	
		<u>\$100.00</u>

MEMORIAL DAY.

Appropriation—		\$100.00
L. L. Merrick G. A. R. post,	\$100.00	
		<u>\$100.00</u>

NEW FIRE HOSE.

Appropriation—		\$250.00
Combination Ladder Co.,	\$250.00	
		<u>\$250.00</u>

SUPPRESSING ILLEGAL SALES LIQUOR.

Appropriation—		\$300.00
H. A. Northrop, services,	\$ 45.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 45.00

REPAIRS HEARSEES.

Appropriation—		\$150.00
Joseph Belanger,	\$124.00	
	<u> </u>	\$124.00

TREE WARDEN.

Appropriation—		\$100.00
C. H. Keith, services as Tree Warden,	\$ 96.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 96.00

CLAIMS AGAINST TOWN.

Appropriation—		\$ 50.00
Robert E. Mahoney, damages on highway,	\$ 50.00	
	<u> </u>	\$50.00

USE OF NORTH MAIN STREET SEWER COMMITTEE.

Appropriation—		\$ 50.00
W. H. Brainerd, plans for sewer, North Main street,	\$ 50.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 50.00

ASSESSORS' MAP, DEPOT VILLAGE.

Appropriation—		\$250.00
W. H. Brainerd, map showing property lines in Palmer,	\$250.00	
	<u> </u>	\$250.00

REWARD FOR CAPTURING CRIMINALS.

Appropriation—		\$200.00
Capt. J. H. Boyle, reward for arrest Frank Sarno,	\$200.00	
	<u> </u>	\$200.00

SIDEWALKS.

Appropriation—		\$1,000.00
J. W. Rochford, concrete walks,	\$113.27	
	<u> </u>	\$113.27

Y. M. L. ASSOCIATION.

Appropriation—		\$1,200.00
L. E. Chandler, Treasurer,	\$1,200.00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,200.00

GYPSY MOTH.

Appropriation—		\$100.00
C. H. Keith, labor,	\$ 18.63	
	<u> </u>	\$ 18.63

LAND DAMAGE, KING STREET EXTENSION.

Appropriation—		\$2,000.00
Mrs. A. T. Wing,	\$2,000.00	
	<u> </u>	\$2,000.00

CARE AND RENT OF LOCKUP.

Appropriation—		\$230.00
James Knox, janitor,	\$ 96.00	
Worcester County Gas Co., rent,	108.34	
J. F. Foley, oil,	9.80	
	<u> </u>	\$214.14

SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Appropriation—		\$2,000.00
H. T. Bishop, salary as Assessor,	\$175.00	
R. E. Cummings, " " "	175.00	
J. O. Hamilton, " " "	200.00	
John F. Hayden, salary as Selectman,	150.00	
William Lawton, " " "	150.00	
H. W. Holbrook, " " "	150.00	
E. W. Carpenter, clerk of "	100.00	
J. P. Schneider, Board of Health,	50.00	
S. O. Miller, " " "	25.00	
H. C. Cheney, " " "	25.00	

J. F. Holbrook, Treasurer,	\$300.00	
J. A. Hawkes, Tax Collector,	435.34	
		\$1,935.34

SHINGLING TOWN HOUSE.

Appropriation—		\$350.00
F. F. Marcy, shingles,	\$192.07	
C. N. Ellithorpe, labor,	78.47	
		\$270.54

ALTERATIONS MEMORIAL BUILDING.

Appropriation—		\$100.00
S. H. Wright, labor,	\$ 38.60	
Whitcomb & Faulkner, materials,	10.45	
Parker-Hamer Electric Co., labor and materials,	24.91	
James Summers, two fire extinguishers,	20.00	
		\$ 93.96

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.

Appropriation—		\$850.00
May 4.		
T. A. Harwood, grading,	\$250.00	
H. M. Bliss, labor,	38.00	
J. L. Dean, labor,	38.00	
C. S. Ruggles, tool house,	50.00	
Berger Mfg. Co., grave markers,	24.00	
June 1.		
T. A. Harwood, grading,	100.00	
T. A. Harwood, labor with men,	92.50	
C. J. Leary, 221 yards paving,	55.25	
S. H. Wright, sharpening mowers	2.20	
H. M. Bliss, labor to June 7,	39.05	
John Dean, " " " "	38.55	
G. W. Moon, " " " "	15.60	
O. R. F. Smith, " " " "	14.50	
Palmer Trucking Co., labor with teams,	43.18	

Sept. 8.		
H. M. Bliss, labor and carfare,	\$ 38.70	
Dec. 7.		
D. L. Bodfish, supplies and postage,	7.50	
Jan. 4.		
James Summers, labor,	1.65	
Feb. 15.		
E. Brown Co., scythe snath,	1.00	
		\$849.68

REPAIRS TO ENGINE HOUSE.

Appropriation—		\$500.00
Aug. 3.		
James Summers, paid for labor,	\$ 48.00	
Whitcomb & Faulkner, material,	17.85	
Sept. 3.		
James P. O'Connor, labor and material,	62.80	
S. W. Lyon & Co., gutters,	28.00	
Whitcomb & Faulkner, iron,	2.70	
E. Brown Co., material and labor,	29.51	
F. F. Marcy, lumber,	49.03	
C. N. Ellithorpe, labor and material,	83.56	
Oct. 5.		
Charles Thomas, labor,	6.50	
James Summers, paid for labor and material,	43.35	
H. T. Huntington, stock and labor,	20.00	
F. F. Marcy, material,	26.42	
Nov. 2.		
E. Brown Co., material and labor,	17.35	
S. W. Lyon & Co., " " "	8.55	
A. W. Lloyd, " " "	1.50	
James Summers, " " "	42.00	
Dec. 7.		
James Summers, labor,	12.70	
Whitcomb & Faulkner, material,	1.35	
		\$501.17

PRECINCT OFFICERS AND POLLING PLACES.

Appropriation—

\$250.00

April 6.

C. S. Ruggles,	services March 16,	\$ 4.00
P. C. Daley,	"	4.00
A. P. Grise,	"	4.00
D. E. Tenny,	"	4.00
C. S. Ruggles,	use of hall "	8.00
St. Mary's T. A. Soc.,	use of hall March 6	
	and 16,	13.00
C. D. Holden,	use of store March 16,	8.00
C. E. Shumway,	services, March 16,	4.00
R. F. Donovan,	"	4.00
C. D. Holden,	"	4.00
John Mansfield,	"	4.00
Charles Collis,	"	1.00
Patrick Fitzgerald,	"	1.00
Charles Darling,	"	1.00
Thomas Carmody,	"	1.00
C. W. Hastings,	"	4.00
C. C. Learned,	"	4.00
Fred Tryon,	"	4.00
F. O. Royce,	"	4.00
J. S. Knox,	"	4.00
E. P. Brown,	"	4.00
D. E. O'Connor,	"	1.00
Ed. Duncan,	"	1.00
D. J. Sullivan,	"	4.00
James Hutchinson,	"	4.00
George McKenzie,	"	4.00
Michael E. Keefe,	"	4.00

Dec. 7.

St. Mary's T. A. Soc.,	use of hall Nov. 3,	8.00
C. S. Ruggles,	services, Nov. 3,	4.00
A. A. Paulin,	"	4.00
D. E. Tenny,	"	4.00
J. J. Manning,	"	4.00
Alphonse Henrichon,	"	1.00
George Camerlin,	"	1.00

C. E. Shumway, services, Nov. 8,	\$ 4.00	
Richard Donovan, "	4.00	
C. D. Holden, "	4.00	
Patrick Fitzgerald, "	4.00	
William Morse, "	1.00	
Charles Darling, "	1.00	
John Costello, "	1.00	
Arthur Laccus, "	1.00	
D. J. Sullivan, "	4.00	
S. McKenzie, "	4.00	
M. E. Keefe, "	4.00	
J. Hutchinson, "	4.00	
F. McIntyre, "	1.00	
P. Ford, "	1.00	
D. Beveredge, "	1.00	
H. H. Smith, "	1.00	
Mrs. H. Loftus, team, election day,	1.00	
J. Stever Knox, services, Nov. 3,	4.00	
F. O. Royce, "	4.00	
C. C. Learned, "	4.00	
E. P. Brown, "	4.00	
F. R. Tryon, "	4.00	
G. S. Holden, "	4.00	
D. E. O'Connor, "	1.00	
E. J. Duncan, "	1.00	
C. D. Holden, room for voting, Nov. 3,	8.00	
Dec. 16.		
C. W. Hastings, services, Nov. 3,	1.00	
Feb. 3.		
C. S. Ruggles, use of hall, Nov. 3,	8.00	
		\$217.00

RECAPITULATION.

	Appropriation.	Expenditures.
Night Police,	\$1,600.00	\$1,599.84
Street Lights,	4,500.00	4,500.00
Bonds of town officers,	145.00	145.00
Auditors,	40.00	40.00
Sealer of weights and measures,	100.00	100.00

Memorial Day,	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
New fire hose,	250.00	250.00
Shingling town house,	350.00	270.54
Alterations memorial building,	100.00	93.96
Suppression illegal sales liquor,	300.00	45.00
Repairing hearses,	150.00	124.00
Tree Warden,	100.00	96.00
Claims against Town,	50.00	50.00
North Main street sewer committee,	50.00	50.00
Map of property lines in Palmer,	250.00	250.00
Reward for capturing criminals,	200.00	200.00
Salaries town officers,	2,000.00	1,935.34
Cemetery Commissioners,	850.00	849.68
Repairs engine house,	500.00	501.17
Sidewalks,	1,000.00	113.27
Precinct officers and polling places,	250.00	217.00
Care and rent of lockup,	230.00	214.14
Young Men's Library Association,	1,200.00	1,200.00
Suppression of gypsy moths,	100.00	18.63
Use of Board of Health,	750.00	577.82
Contingencies,	3,050.00	3,044.03
Land damage King street extension,	2,000.00	2,000.00
		\$18,585.42

We would say that there are two outstanding accounts against the contingent fund, one of \$213.60 to J. F. Foley, Town Clerk, for recording births, marriages and deaths and for services as registrar of voters, and one for \$23.75 to C. B. Fiske & Co. for printing. The principal reason why the contingent fund has not been large enough to cover all charges is on account of the unusual number of forest fires which occurred during the year and the consequent expense.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Contingencies,	\$3300.00
Precinct officers and polling places,	250.00
Care and rent of lockup,	230.00

H. W. HOLBROOK,	} Selectmen of Palmer.
WILLIAM LAWTON,	
JOHN F. HAYDEN,	

Highway Surveyor's Report.

HIGHWAYS—FEB. 15 TO MAR. 23.

Special appropriation—

\$100.50

M. Slattery,	labor, self and team,	\$ 8.00
R. Thomas,	"	4.50
P. Kennedy,	"	3.00
W. J. Foley,	" self and team,	2.00
R. Lamb,	"	.75
J. N. Greer,	" self and team,	6.30
Walter Harvey,	"	2.33
A. Turcott,	"	5.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" man and team,	8.00
P. Murphy,	"	3.00
S. Harrington,	"	1.50
S. A. Bowen,	"	.75
F. S. Calkins,	"	1.40
P. Murphy,	"	7.50
C. T. Brainerd,	" man and team,	8.17
P. Trumble,	"	5.15
S. A. Bowen,	"	.75
S. Harrington,	" and drawing ashes,	7.20
J. F. Twiss,	" men and teams,	17.50
Alex. Herran,	"	3.75
Palmer Trucking Co.,	" man and team,	3.45

— \$100.00

Appropriation—

\$5,000.00

April 4.

J. F. Twiss,	labor, man and teams,	\$ 28.00
John Brothers,	"	4.50

Alex Herran,	labor,	\$4.50
Chas. O'Connor,	"	4.50
Thomas O'Connor,	"	4.50
E. Boissey,	"	1.50
E. Pecotte,	"	1.50
R. Thomas,	"	6.00
P. Kennedy,	"	6.00
M. Slattery,	" man and team,	2.00
Wm. Arcotte,	"	16.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" man and team,	12.00
C. T. Brainerd, services to April 1,		45.00
J. H. McDonald & Co., blacksmithing,		1.10

April 11.

R. Thomas,	labor,	8.25
P. Kennedy,	"	8.25
M. Slattery,	"	1.50
J. F. Twiss,	" men and teams,	57.50
John Brothers,	"	8.25
Alex Herran,	"	9.75
Chas. O'Connor,	"	3.75
Thomas O'Connor,	"	6.75
E. Boissey,	"	1.50
Jos. St. John,	"	5.25
C. T. Brainerd,	" and team,	8.00
E. J. Lynch Jr.,	"	1.50

April 18.

R. Thomas,	labor,	8.25
P. Kennedy,	"	8.25
M. Slattery,	" team, STE 	22.00
P. O'Brien,	"	5.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	16.00
P. Murphy,	"	4.50
F. W. Hollingworth,	"	4.50
Dan Connor,	"	8.34
Louis Boldue,	"	8.34
F. I. Brown,	"	7.20

April 25.

R. Thomas,	labor,	9.00
P. Kennedy,	"	9.75

D. Fitzgerald,	labor,	\$9.75
James Sullivan,	"	9.75
John Cavin,	"	9.75
P. O'Brien,	"	11.25
M. Slattery,	" team,	26.00
A. Ramsden,	" "	27.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" "	24.00
P. Murphy,	"	8.25
F. Hollingworth,	"	7.50
Jos. Merriam,	"	6.00
Louis Bolduc,	"	8.25
Dan. O'Connor,	"	8.25

May 2.

J. F. Twiss,	" team,	22.75
C. P. Haynes,	" "	8.00
L. Barker,	"	12.00
Thomas O'Connor,	"	4.50
S. Henderson,	"	4.50
Alex. Herran,	"	4.50
Jos. St. John,	"	4.50
John Furkey,	"	4.50
Edw. Pecotte,	"	4.50
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	4.50
Dan. O'Connor,	"	9.00
Louis Bolduc,	"	9.00
R. Thomas,	"	9.00
A. Girouard, blacksmithing,		1.60
Whitcomb & Faulkner, mdse.,		4.60
J. W. Miller,	labor, team,	10.75
M. Molloy,	"	5.25
W. McGuire,	"	3.75
E. McKelligott,	"	5.25

May 9.

J. F. Twiss,	labor, teams,	38.00
C. P. Haynes,	" "	22.00
L. Barker,	" "	22.00
Tom O'Connor,	"	7.17
S. Henderson,	"	8.25
Alex Herran,	"	8.25

Jos. St. John,	labor,	\$8.25
John Furkey,	"	8.25
Edw. Pecotte,	"	4.50
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	8.25
Louis Bolduc,	"	8.25
Dan. O'Connor,	"	5.25
P. Ferris,	"	19.25
John Foster,	"	11.00
M. Kennedy,	"	11.00
P. Sullivan,	"	9.62
P. Cavanaugh,	"	13.75
H. Loftus,	" team,	8.00
C. T. Brainerd,	services for April,	75.00

May 16.

J. F. Twiss,	labor, teams,	26.00
C. P. Haynes,	" "	8.00
John Furkey,	"	8.25
Alex Herran,	"	4.50
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	2.25
Louis Bolduc,	"	3.00
Joseph St. John,	"	4.50
P. Ferris,	"	22.17
John Foster,	"	10.66
M. Kennedy,	"	10.66
P. Sullivan,	"	9.32
P. Cavanaugh,	"	13.30
H. Loftus,	" team,	10.50
Alfred Goodreau,	" "	10.00
Sullivan & Sons,	" "	10.00
Dan. Sullivan,	"	3.75
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	8.00
Edw. Pecotte,	"	1.50

May 23.

J. F. Twiss,	labor, team,	8.00
Jos. St. John,	"	3.00
Dan. O'Connor,	"	3.00
John Foster,	"	4.00
P. Cavanaugh,	"	5.87
M. Kennedy,	"	2.00

P. Sullivan,	labor,	\$4.00
John Furkey,	"	6.40
Daniel Sullivan,	"	6.00
S. A. Bowen,	"	6.00
Jos. Bushman,	"	6.40
A. Goodreau,	" team,	16.00
Sullivan & Sons,	" "	16.00
J. W. Miller,	" "	10.30
Smith Harrington, drawing ashes,		16.20
W. N. Flynt Granite Co., use of derrick,		18.00

May 30.

John Furkey,	labor,	8.00
Jos. Bushman,	"	8.00
John Foster,	"	10.00
Daniel Sullivan,	"	7.50
S. A. Bowen,	"	6.00
P. Sullivan,	"	6.75
A. Goodreau,	" team,	20.00
Sullivan & Sons,	" "	20.00
J. W. Miller,	" "	16.00
W. J. Foley,	" "	16.00
C. T. Brainerd,	"	20.00
J. F. Twiss,	" team,	16.00
Jos. St. John,	"	6.00
Daniel O'Connor,	"	6.00
Alex Herran,	"	4.50
M. Kennedy,	"	6.00
J. J. Bruette,	"	6.00
Jerre Lamery,	"	6.00
P. Murphy,	"	7.50
Jos. Merriam,	"	4.50
P. Sullivan,	"	7.50
R. Thomas,	"	7.50
M. Slattery,	" team,	8.00
C. T. Brainerd, services for May,		75.00

June 6.

Alex Herran,	labor,	1.50
Jos. St. John,	"	1.50
J. F. Twiss,	" team,	20.00

Sullivan & Sons,	labor, team,	\$8.00
J. W. Miller,	" "	24.00
A. Goodreau,	" "	24.00
W. J. Foley,	" "	24.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" "	12.00
Geo. A. Smith,	" "	24.00
John Jones,	"	12.00
Joe Brothers,	"	12.00
Geo. Lamb,	"	9.00
John Foster,	"	12.00
M. Kennedy,	"	9.00
J. J. Bruette,	"	6.00
J. Lamery,	"	8.25
P. Sullivan,	"	8.25
P. Cavanaugh,	"	9.00
S. A. Bowen,	"	6.75
Jos. Bushman,	"	9.60
John Furkey,	"	9.60
Daniel Sullivan,	"	9.00
P. Murphy,	"	9.00
F. Ramsden,	"	3.00
M. Haley,	"	1.50
R. Thomas,	"	6.75
P. Trumble, labor and repairs on scraper,		16.50
S. Harrington,	labor,	5.25
Geo. Belisle,	"	4.50
June 13.		
J. W. Foley,	labor,	3.00
M. Prindiville,	"	3.00
W. J. Foley,	" team,	8.00
J. F. Twiss,	" "	8.00
A. Goodreau,	" "	20.00
Jos. Kerigan,	" "	16.00
Sullivan & Sons,	" "	8.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" "	8.00
John Furkey,	"	9.60
J. Bushman,	"	9.60
Jos. Laplant,	"	7.50
Philip Laplant,	"	7.50

Jos. Merriam,	labor,	\$9.00
John Foster,	"	8.00
P. Murphy,	"	9.00
M. Haley,	"	6.00
F. Ramsden,	"	1.50
W. McGuire,	"	3.00
S. Haley,	"	1.50

June 20.

J. W. Miller,	labor and team,	22.00
Sullivan & Sons,	" "	22.00
Geo. Smith,	" "	20.00
J. F. Twiss,	" "	4.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" "	4.00
John S. Jones,	"	10.00
Jos. Brothers,	"	10.00
Geo. Lamb,	"	7.50
John Furkey,	"	8.00
Jos. Bushman,	"	8.75
John Foster,	"	10.00
M. Healy,	"	3.75
S. Healy,	"	8.25
F. Ramsden,	"	6.75
Geo. Keith,	"	3.00
P. Murphy,	"	1.50
Jos. St. John,	"	3.00
Dan. O'Connor,	"	3.00
Alex Herran,	"	1.50

June 27.

George A. Smith,	labor, team,	8.00
John S. Jones,	"	4.00
Jos. Brothers,	"	4.00
John F. Twiss,	" team,	24.00
Jos. St. John,	"	7.50
Alex Herran,	"	7.50
Dan. O'Connor,	"	4.50
M. J. Moynahan, blacksmithing,		9.65
Thorndike Co., repairs for scraper,		.90
C. T. Brainerd, services for June,		75.00

July 4.		
S. Harrington,	labor,	\$5.25
A. Goodreau,	" team,	4.00
July 11.		
John F. Twiss,	labor, team,	8.00
Alex Herran,	"	2.25
Jos. St. John,	"	3.00
Dan. O'Connor,	"	2.25
P. Murphy,	"	4.50
R. Thomas,	"	2.25
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	8.00
July 18.		
R. Thomas,	labor,	6.75
P. O'Brien,	"	5.25
Jas. Sullivan,	"	5.25
P. Sullivan,	"	5.25
D. Fitzgerald,	"	5.25
J. Carmody,	"	2.25
M. Slattery,	" team,	14.00
A. Ramsden,	" "	14.00
J. F. Twiss,	" "	12.00
Jos. St. John,	"	2.25
Dan. O'Connor,	"	2.25
Alex Herran,	"	2.25
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	3.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	16.00
P. Murphy,	"	6.00
July 25.		
P. Thomas,	labor,	7.50
P. O'Brien,	"	7.50
Jas. Sullivan,	"	7.50
P. Sullivan,	"	7.50
D. Fitzgerald,	"	7.50
M. Slattery,	" team,	16.00
A. Ramsden,	" "	16.00
John Foster,	"	9.00
John Furkey,	"	7.87
Jos. Bushman,	"	7.87
Sullivan & Sons,	" team,	12.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" "	12.00

J. F. Twiss,	labor, team,	\$27.35
Jos. St. John,	"	7.25
Alex Herran,	"	6.75
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	6.75
Dan. O'Connor,	"	1.50

Aug. 1.

J. F. Twiss,	labor, team,	24.00
Alex Herran,	"	9.00
Jos. St. John,	"	9.00
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	9.00
A. Ramsden,	" team,	4.00
M. Slattery,	" "	4.00
R. Thomas,	"	1.50
P. O'Brien,	"	1.50
Jas. Sullivan,	"	.75
P. Sullivan,	"	.75
D. Fitzgerald,	"	1.50
S. A. Bowen,	"	7.50
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	4.00
C. T. Brainerd, services for July,		60.00

Aug. 8.

J. F. Twiss,	labor, team,	37.35
Alex Herran,	"	6.96
Jos. St. John,	"	6.96
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	4.75
S. A. Bowen,	"	5.25
Geo. Corey,	"	5.25
A. Ramsden,	" team,	20.00
M. Slattery,	" "	20.00
R. Thomas,	"	8.25
P. O'Brien,	"	8.25
Jas. Sullivan,	"	8.25
P. Sullivan,	"	6.75
Thos. Donahue,	"	7.50
G. Fitzpatrick,	"	2.25
J. W. Miller,	" team,	17.50
C. T. Brainerd,	" "	8.00
P. Murphy,	"	6.75

Aug. 15.

M. Slattery,	labor, team,	\$24.00
R. Thomas,	"	9.00
P. O'Brien,	"	9.00
T. Donahue,	"	9.00
J. F. Twiss,	" team,	23.55
Jos. St. John	"	8.34
Alex Herran,	"	7.34
Dan. O'Connor,	"	7.34
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	24.00
Palmer Trucking Co.,	" "	20.00
J. M. Allen,	" "	42.45
D. E. Marcy,	" "	23.15
W. H. Kenyon,	" "	15.55
W. E. Kenyon,	" "	14.45
John Foster,	"	12.00
John S. Jones,	"	7.00
John Furkey,	"	7.00
P. Murphy,	"	9.00
S. A. Bowen,	"	6.75
Geo. Corey,	"	4.83
J. F. Hanifin, blacksmithing,		4.20

Aug. 22.

M. Slattery,	labor, team,	3.00
R. Thomas,	"	6.00
P. O'Brien,	"	2.25
P. Sullivan,	"	2.25
T. Donahue,	"	1.50
L. S. Bowen,	"	6.00
C. H. Lamb,	"	6.00
John F. Twiss,	" team,	16.00
Alex Herran,	"	6.75
Jos. St. John,	"	6.75
Dan. O'Connor	"	6.75
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	12.00
D. E. Marcy,	" "	14.00
Palmer Trucking Co.,	" "	12.00
L. Carchia, use of steam roller,		30.00
John Foster,	labor,	8.00

John Furkey,	labor,	\$ 7.00
John S. Jones,	"	5.25
P. Murphy,	"	6.75

Aug. 29.

M. Slattery,	labor, team,	20.00
R. Thomas,	"	7.50
P. Sullivan,	"	7.50
A. Ramsden,	"	8.00
Palmer Trucking Co.,	" team,	18.00
D. E. Marcy,	" "	16.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" "	8.00
John Furkey,	"	7.87
P. Murphy,	"	7.50
J. S. Jones,	"	4.33
John Foster,	"	5.00
Wm. J. Foley,	" team,	14.00
J. W. Foley,	"	5.25
Sam Fortune,	"	5.25
H. W. Anable,	"	5.25
J. F. Twiss,	" team,	8.00
Alex Herran,	"	3.00
Dan. O'Connor,	"	3.00
Jos. St. John,	"	3.00
J. W. Miller,	" team,	12.00
M. Molloy,	"	3.00
Dan. Sullivan,	"	3.00
E. McKelligett,	"	3.00
A. Ouimette,	"	4.50

Sept. 5.

J. F. Holbrook,	coal for roller,	6.55
R. Thomas,	labor,	9.00
P. Sullivan,	"	9.00
L. S. Bowen,	"	6.75
C. H. Lamb,	"	4.50
Palmer Trucking Co.,	" team,	4.00
G. A. Smith,	" "	4.00
John Furkey,	"	5.25
J. Bushman,	"	5.25
P. Murphy,	"	6.00

J. S. Jones,	labor,	\$.87
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	12.00
D. E. Marcy,	" "	8.00
P. M. Shearer,	" "	4.00
John Foster,	"	4.00
C. T. Brainerd, services for Aug.,		72.00
Whitcomb & Faulkner, mdse.,		1.06
Sept. 12.		
R. Thomas,	labor,	7.50
J. N. Greer,	" team,	2.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" "	4.00
J. F. Twiss,	" "	4.00
Alex Herran,	" "	1.50
Jos. Goodreau,	"	5.25
Con. Leary,	"	7.50
Sept. 19.		
R. Thomas,	labor,	9.00
C. Leary,	"	15.00
Mrs. C. Lawlor, 250 loads gravel at .05,		12.50
J. W. Miller,	labor, team,	10.00
M. Molloy,	"	4.50
A. Ouimette,	"	1.50
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	8.00
Sept. 26.		
Wm. B. Kerrigan,	labor,	77.00
C. Leary,	"	15.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	4.00
R. Thomas,	"	4.50
Oct. 3.		
J. F. Twiss,	labor, team,	8.00
Alex Herran,	"	2.25
Dan. O'Connor,	"	2.25
Jos. St. John,	"	1.50
Con. Leary,	"	15.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	8.00
L. S. Bowen,	"	7.50
S. Harrington,	"	7.50
C. T. Brainerd, services for Sept.,		60.00

Oct. 10.

John Foster,	labor,	\$ 2.00
John Furkey,	"	.87
Jos. Bushman,	"	1.75
P. Murphy,	"	6.00
C. Leary,	"	15.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	8.00
J. F. Twiss,	" "	2.00
Jos. St. John,	"	1.50
Alex Herran,	"	1.50
Dan. O'Connor,	"	1.50
R. Thomas,	"	1.50

Oct. 17.

R. Thomas,	labor,	4.50
E. Fenton,	"	4.50
F. Ramsden,	"	4.50
M. Slattery,	" team,	16.00
John Foster,	"	12.00
Jos. Bushman,	"	10.50
John Furkey,	"	6.12
P. Murphy,	"	9.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	24.00
Palmer Trucking Co.,	" "	8.00
D. E. Marcy,	" "	3.37
C. P. Haynes,	" "	12.00
Alex Herran,	"	4.50
Jos. St. John,	"	4.50
Dan. O'Connor,	"	4.50

Oct. 24.

John Foster,	labor,	6.00
John Furkey,	"	5.25
Jos. Bushman,	"	5.25
P. Murphy,	"	6.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	14.00
D. E. Marcy,	" "	4.00
Palmer Trucking Co.,	" "	4.00
M. Slattery,	" "	8.00
R. Thomas,	"	1.50
E. Fenton,	"	1.50

F. Ramsden, labor,	\$ 1.50
A. Girouard, blacksmithing,	4.98
L. G. Barker, labor, team,	12.00
C. P. Haynes, " "	12.00
Z. Chevalier, " "	12.00
Jos. St. John, " "	4.50
Nov. 7.	
John Foster, labor,	6.00
John Furkey, " "	5.25
Jos. Bushman, " "	5.25
P. Murphy, " "	6.00
C. T. Brainerd, " team,	12.00
C. P. Haynes, " "	4.00
J. F. Twiss, " "	2.00
Alex Herran, " "	4.50
Dan. O'Connor, " "	1.50
Jos. St. John, " "	1.50
R. Thomas, " "	9.75
F. Ramsden, " "	4.50
M. Slaterry, " team,	4.00
Jos. Belanger, repairs,	1.60
C. T. Brainerd, services for Oct.,	51.00
Jack Lewis, 42 loads gravel,	2.10
Nov. 14.	
M. Slaterry, labor, team,	8.00
R. Thomas, " "	3.00
John Foster, " "	10.00
John Furkey, " "	8.75
Jos. Bushman, " "	8.75
P. Murphy, " "	9.00
C. T. Brainerd, " team,	24.00
M. Molloy, " "	4.50
Dan. Sullivan, " "	3.75
M. Stone, " "	1.50
J. W. Miller, " team,	4.00
Nov. 21.	
Alex Herran, labor,	2.25
M. B. Foley, " "	.75
J. F. Twiss, " team,	17.00

M. Slattery,	labor, team,	\$ 4.00
P. Kennedy,	"	3.00
F. Ramsden,	"	3.00
R. Thomas,	"	6.00
Dec. 5.		
P. Murphy,	labor,	4.50
M. Molloy,	"	1.50
J. W. Miller,	" team,	4.00
C. T. Brainerd, services for November,		36.00
Jan. 14.		
C. T. Brainerd,	labor, team,	16.00
Flynt Granite Co.,	" "	10.00
J. W. Miller,	" "	10.75
M. Molloy,	"	3.75
P. S. Trumble,		7.48
James Summers, blacksmithing,		6.50
J. J. Kelley, kerosene,		.60
P. Murphy,	labor,	1.50
R. Thomas,	"	6.00
Feb. 15.		
P. S. Trumble,	labor,	2.50
A. M. Bond, merchandise,		1.95
J. F. Foley,	"	2.42
P. Murphy,	labor,	3.00
Z. Chevalier,	" team,	4.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" "	4.00
C. T. Brainerd, services Dec. 1st to Feb. 15,		30.00
		———— \$4,698.18

SIDEWALK, PINE STREET, BONDSVILLE.

Appropriation— \$100.00

August 29.

W. H. Brainerd, surveying, \$ 5.00

October 3.

R. Thomas, labor, 13.50

F. Ramsden, " 10.50

M. Slattery, " team, 8.00

J. Moriarty, " 3.00

October 10.		
R. Thomas,	labor,	\$ 7.50
F. Ramsden,	"	6.00
J. Moriarty,	"	6.00
M. Slattery,	" team,	16.00
October 24.		
R. Thomas,	labor,	4.50
E. Fenton,	"	3.00
F. Ramsden,	"	3.00
M. Slattery,	" team,	6.00
Z. Chevalier,	" "	8.00
		\$100.00

SIDEWALK, HIGH STREET, BONDSVILLE.

Appropriation—		\$200.00
June 27.		
P. Ferris, retaining wall,		\$ 48.35
R. Thomas,	labor,	4.50
D. Fitzgerald,	"	2.25
Aug. 1.		
A. Ramsden,	labor, team,	28.00
M. Slattery,	" "	16.00
R. Thomas,	"	7.50
P. O'Brien,	"	7.50
Jas. Sullivan,	"	7.50
D. Fitzgerald,	"	.75
Thomas Donahue,	"	6.83
Geo. Fitzpatrick,	"	6.00
P. Sullivan,	"	7.50
John T. Sullivan,	"	6.00
S. W. Lyon & Co., railings,		41.22
Aug. 29.		
W. H. Brainerd, surveying,		5.00
		\$194.90

RETAINING WALL, THORNDIKE.

Appropriation—		\$100.00
May 2.		
P. Ferris,	labor,	\$10.50
M. Kennedy,	"	6.00
John Foster,	"	6.00
P. Ferris,	"	21.00
John Foster,	"	12.00
M. Kennedy,	"	12.00
P. Sullivan,	"	10.12
P. Cavanaugh,	"	9.38
H. Loftus,	" team,	12.00
		\$100.00

SIDEWALKS.

Appropriation—		\$1,000.00
Sept. 5.		
J. W. Rochford, repairs,		\$500.00
Sept. 26.		
J. W. Rochford, repairs,		291.57
Palmer Mill, repairs,		49.54
		\$841.11

GRADING NEAR MYOTT'S.

Appropriation—		\$ 60.00
Sept. 26.		
J. F. Twiss,	labor, team,	\$ 22.00
Alex Herran,	"	7.50
Jos. St. John,	"	7.50
Dan. O'Connor,	"	4.50
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	4.50
C. P. Haynes,	" team,	4.00
		\$ 50.00

BRIDGE STREET, THREE RIVERS.

Appropriation—		\$550.00
April 18.		
J. F. Twiss,	labor, men and teams,	\$44.00

C. P. Haynes,	labor, men and teams,	\$ 22.00
L. Barker,	" " "	22.00
E. P. Brown,	"	12.00
John Brothers,	"	8.25
Tom O'Connor,	"	8.25
Samuel Henderson,	"	8.25
Alex Herran,	"	8.25
Jos. St. John,	"	8.25
Jos. Long,	"	1.50
John Furkey,	"	8.25
Edward Pecotte,	"	6.50

April 25.

J. F. Twiss,	labor, team,	42.00
C. P. Haynes,	" "	24.00
L. Barker,	" "	22.00
E. P. Brown,	"	12.00
John Brothers,	"	.75
Tom O'Connor,	"	8.25
Sam. Henderson,	"	8.25
Alex Herran,	"	8.25
Jos. St. John,	"	8.25
John Furkey,	"	8.25
Edward Pecotte,	"	8.25
H. Dufour,	"	7.50

May 2.

J. F. Twiss,	labor, team,	23.25
C. P. Haynes,	" "	12.00
L. Barker,	" "	12.00
E. P. Brown,	"	6.00
T. O'Connor,	"	4.50
S. Henderson,	"	4.50
Alex Herran,	"	4.50
Jos. St. John,	"	4.50
John Furkey,	"	4.50
Edw. Picotte,	"	4.50
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	4.50

July 11.

J. F. Twiss,	labor, team,	64.00
Dan O'Connor,	"	11.25

Alex Herran,	labor,	\$ 12.00	
Jos. St. John,	"	12.00	
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	6.00	
July 18.			
J. F. Twiss,	labor, teams,	28.00	
Dan. O'Connor,	"	4.50	
Alex Herran,	"	6.00	
Joseph St. John,	"	6.00	
			\$549.75

RAILINGS.

Appropriation,			\$400.00
May 23.			
John Foster,	labor,	\$ 4.00	
P. Cavanaugh,	"	3.34	
M. Kennedy,	"	2.66	
Potter & Bond, lumber,		6.83	
Louis Bolduc,	labor,	1.50	
May 30.			
S. W. Lyon & Co.,	labor and pipe,	43.15	
Geo. Saunders,	"	2.50	
July 11.			
P. Ferris,	labor,	6 00	
P. Cavin,	"	3.00	
Geo. Keith,	"	3.00	
Aug. 1.			
John Foster,	labor,	6.00	
John Furkey,	"	5.25	
Jos. Bushman,	"	5.25	
S. W. Lyon & Co.,		16.19	
Aug. 15.			
Jos. Domy,	labor,	4.83	
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	4.83	
Aug. 22.			
T. Paulin, painting,		5.76	
Sept. 5.			
Geo. A. Smith, 39 $\frac{5}{8}$ rods at \$1.00		39.62	
Sept. 12.			
A. Goodreau, 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ rods,		16.50	

Sept. 19.		
Geo. A. Smith, 14 $\frac{1}{4}$ rods,	\$ 14.25	
Oct. 3.		
Geo. A. Smith, 28 rods,	28.00	
Nov. 7.		
Geo. A. Smith, 74 $\frac{1}{2}$ rods,	74.50	
Nov. 21.		
Potter & Bond, lumber and posts,	43.24	
H. Dufour Jr., labor,	.75	
Feb. 15.		
C. S. Ruggles, nails,	1.60	
		\$342.55

BRIDGES.

Appropriation—		\$1,000.00
April 11.		
Wm. Roman, labor and team,	\$ 4.00	
J. F. Twiss, “ “	2.00	
L. Henrichon, “	9.00	
H. Dufour Jr., “	6.75	
E. Pecotte, “	6.75	
April 25.		
Jerre Shea, labor,	3.00	
Pat. Sullivan, “	2.25	
E. Fitzgerald, “	2.25	
L. Henrichon, “	4.50	
Will Pecotte, “	3.00	
Sullivan & Sons, planks,	36.52	
May 2.		
F. J. Hamilton, plank,	88.40	
Geo. Saunders, labor,	3.00	
May 23.		
Geo. R. Shaw, painting,	24.00	
R. Thomas, labor,	1.50	
M. Slattery, “ team,	2.00	
Potter & Bond, plank and nails,	57.39	
May 30.		
Sullivan & Sons, plank,	84.15	
Geo. R. Shaw, labor and paint,	47.71	

June 6.

A. Barber,	labor,	\$ 3.75
Geo. Paulin,	"	2.25
A. Raymond,	"	2.25

June 20.

J. W. Brainerd,	labor, self and man,	30.00
J. W. Brainerd,	bolts,	.35
H. Dufour,	labor,	9.45
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	7.17
John Harrington,	"	6.75
R. Thomas,	"	6.00
P. Cavin,	"	6.00
John Cavin,	"	4.50
P. Sullivan,	"	4.50
C. C. Lewis Co.,	steel,	19.80

June 27.

J. W. Miller,	labor, team,	10.45
John Foster,	"	11.00
Jos. Bushman,	"	11.00
John Furkey,	"	12.00
S. Healey,	"	6.75
F. Ramsden,	"	6.75
J. W. Brainerd,	"	1.50
M. J. Moynahan,	repairs,	2.00

July 4.

W. F. Fillmore,	cement,	37.40
Whitcomb & Faulkner,	merchandise,	10.35

July 11.

John Furkey,	labor,	6.00
John Foster,	"	2.00
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	4.00

July 18.

John Foster,	labor,	2.00
John Furkey,	"	1.75
J. W. Miller,	" team,	3.00
F. F. Marcy,	lumber,	7.02

Aug. 1.

J. M. Allen,	plank,	125.22
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August 15.		
Dan O'Connor, labor,	\$ 1.50	
August 22.		
T. Paulin, painting,	65.00	
October 3.		
H. A. Northrop, plank,	71.46	
J. F. Twiss, labor, team,	2.00	
October 10.		
Alex Herran, labor,	3.00	
Jos. St. John, "	3.00	
October 17.		
John W. Brainerd, labor,	6.00	
H. Dufour Jr., "	3.00	
Geo. Paulin, "	3.00	
November 7.		
Whitcomb & Faulkner, nails,	1.50	
November 21.		
Potter & Bond, lumber,	162.10	
December 5.		
H. A. Northrop, plank,	39.65	
		\$1,111.84
Due this account,		166.36
Net expense,		\$945.48

SEWERS AND CULVERTS.

Appropriation,		\$1000.00
Apr. 4.		
Con. Leary, labor,	\$ 10.00	
John Foster, "	7.00	
Jos. Bushman, "	4.00	
R. Thomas, "	3.00	
Apr. 11.		
Con. Leary, labor,	13.75	
John Foster, "	11.00	
Jos. Bushman, "	11.00	
Apr. 18.		
Con. Leary, labor,	15.00	
John Foster, "	12.00	

Jos. Bushman,	labor,	\$ 12.00
S. J. Joreczak,	"	1.00
Apr. 25.		
C. Leary,	labor,	13.75
John Foster,	"	5.00
Jos. Bushman,	"	11.00
May 2.		
Con. Leary,	labor,	16.25
Jos. Bushman,	"	13.00
P. Murphy,	"	1.50
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	8.00
May 16.		
John L. Sullivan,	labor,	12.10
Edw. Pecotte,	"	3.00
Louis Bolduc,	"	2.25
May 30.		
P. S. Trumble,	labor,	8.39
E. Goodes,	rubber boots,	3.75
W. F. Fillmore,		.75
June 6.		
E. McKelligott,	labor,	3.00
June 20.		
Alex Herran,	labor,	1.50
June 27.		
E. McKelligott,	labor,	6.00
R. Thomas,	"	.75
July 11.		
B. & A. Railroad,	freight on brick,	8.80
Palmer Mill,	brick,	7.20
July 18.		
Jos. Bushman,	labor,	4.00
J. T. Sullivan,	"	6.40
John Foster,	"	10.00
John Furkey,	"	8.75
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	8.00
J. F. Twiss,	" "	4.00
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	6.00
F. F. Marey,	brick,	68.75

July 25.		
P. Murphy,	labor,	\$ 3.00
— Stevens,	"	1.00
Aug. 8.		
Palmer Trucking Co.,	labor, team,	11.90
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.,	pipe,	12.24
D. E. Marcy,	trucking,	3.00
Aug. 15.		
Alex Herran,	labor,	1.50
Aug. 29.		
John Foster,	labor,	4.00
John S. Jones,	"	3.50
Sept. 12.		
C. T. Brainerd,	labor, team,	6.00
F. Capen,	"	2.62
Sept. 19.		
E. Brown Co.,	sewer pipe,	163.15
John Foster,	labor,	10.00
Jos. Bushman,	"	8.75
F. Capen,	"	8.75
P. Crimmins,	"	8.75
John Furkey,	"	7.87
P. Murphy,	"	7.50
S. A. Bowen,	"	7.50
Wm. Gordon,	"	8.75
B. Ball,	"	7.50
Geo. Roberts,	"	4.37
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	12.00
Sept. 26.		
John Foster,	labor,	10.00
John Furkey,	"	10.50
Jos. Bushman,	"	10.50
P. Crimmins,	"	10.50
Wm. Gordon,	"	10.50
Geo. Roberts,	"	10.50
B. Ball,	"	15.00
P. Murphy,	"	9.00
S. A. Bowen,	"	9.00
H. Dufour Jr.,	"	2.25

C. T. Brainerd,	labor, team,	\$ 13.50	
Jas. P. O'Connor,	"	20.00	
Wm. B. Kerigan,	"	13.00	
Oct. 3.			
John Foster,	labor,	10.00	
Jos. Bushman,	"	8.75	
John Furkey,	"	7.00	
P. Crimmins,	"	5.25	
Wm. Gordon,	"	3.50	
P. Murphy,	"	9.00	
S. A. Bowen,	"	1.50	
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	12.00	
W. E. Kenyon,	" "	4.00	
D. E. Marcy,	" "	2.00	
R. B. Francis, castings,		54.50	
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., pipe,		16.24	
Whitcomb & Faulkner, merchandise,		21.90	
Alex Herran, labor,		1.50	
Oct. 10.			
James P. O'Connor, labor,		21.20	
F. F. Marcy, lumber,		2.32	
John Foster,	labor,	2.00	
John Furkey,	"	1.75	
Jos. Bushman,	"	1.75	
P. Murphy,	"	1.50	
C. T. Brainerd,	" team,	4.00	
Oct. 17.			
D. E. Marcy,	labor, team,	1.25	
John Furkey,	"	3.50	
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., 24 feet pipe,		8.64	
Nov. 7.			
Whitcomb & Faulkner, supplies,		3.29	
S. W. Lyon & Co., supplies,		2.17	
Dec. 5.			
R. B. Francis, castings,		3.50	
			\$1,003.55
Due this account,			4.50
Net expense,			\$999.05

February 15, 1909.

To the voters of the Town of Palmer :

The repairs of the highways of the town the past year have been by use of the road machine to a much larger mileage than ever before, and graveling from Three Rivers toward Thorndike, in the Depot village on Park, Walnut, Converse, Central and Main streets. I think it would be of advantage for the town to purchase gravel banks in the different villages for the use of the highway department. The bridge account shows an apparent overdraft of \$111.84. This is to be met by receipts from others town for their share of the work done. There is due this account \$166.36, which makes the net expense \$945.48.

The sewer and culvert account is to be credited with \$4.50, the expense of a connection which has been paid, which leaves the net expense \$999.05. The sewer on Maple street has been extended about 600 feet, the one on North Main street to Holbrook street about 400 feet.

I would recommend the following appropriations :

Highways,	\$5,000.00
Sewers and Culverts,	1,000.00
Bridges,	1,000.00
Sidewalks (repairs),	1,000.00
Railings,	400.00

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. T. BRAINERD, Highway Surveyor.

INVENTORY OF TOOLS.

1 Road Scraper.	6 Iron Rakes.
3 Plows.	3 Scoop Shovels.
2 Iron Bars.	1 Hand Ax.
1 Spade.	2 Bush Scythes and Snath.
7 Picks.	2 Hoes.
10 Shovels.	4 Signs.
6 Lanterns.	1 Steel Root Cutter.
2 Iron Tampers.	1 Branding Iron.
1 Steam Boiler and Engine.	1 Set Bins and Screens.
1 National Crusher.	1 Steam Pump.
4 Hammer Handles.	1 Water Tank.
6 Snow Shovels,	1 Screen for Gravel.

SEWER DEPARTMENT.

8½ lbs. $\frac{3}{8}$ Rope.	60 Felton's Couplings and Rods.
37 lbs. 7-16 Chain.	1 Conduit Scoop.
2 Rattan Brooms.	1 Conduit Wire Brush.
1 Gouge for Sewer Cleaning.	

Report of Overseers of Poor.

The Overseers of the Poor present the following report and recommend these appropriations for 1909 and 1910 :

Support of Poor,	\$7,000.00
Overseers' salaries,	400.00
Contingent fund,	600.00

Also that all money now in the hands of the Town Treasurer received on their account be appropriated for their use for the current year.

TOWN FARM.

D. C. Perkins,	warden,	\$ 75.00
Benjamin Freeman,	"	525.00
Wm. Foley,	labor,	8.00
A. F. Goodreau,	"	8.00
C. Grimstone,	"	4.00
H. Elbre,	"	4.00
H. Hamilton,	"	4.00
J. Brothers,	"	4.00
Rufus Bacon,	"	4.00
Pearl Bacon,	"	4.00
C. N. Ellithorpe & Son,	supplies,	12.10
Palmer Journal,	subscription,	1.75
S. H. Hellyar,	supplies,	6.23
J. F. Foley,	groceries,	87.86
M. Lawler & Co.,	"	39.50
J. J. Kelley,	"	228.07
W. E. Stone & Son,	"	228.53
E. B. Taylor,	"	84.53
Palmer Fruit Co.,	supplies,	4.10
F. F. Marcy,	"	1.25
E. S. Brooks,	repairs,	.35

C. H. Giroux, cough syrup,	\$ 2.50
C. H. Giroux, town physician,	24.00
Miley Soap Co., disinfectant,	16.25
J. F. Holbrook & Son, coal,	146.72
F. J. Hamilton, "	162.28
M. J. Moynahan, blacksmithing,	7.10
James Summers, "	11.70
Joseph Belanger, "	1.25
George W. Sherman, pasturing,	13.24
P. S. Trumble, labor,	7.75
C. D. Holden, dry goods,	47.20
D. L. Bodfish, " "	53.09
C. K. Gamwell, " "	44.44
E. M. Leonard, " "	1.70
E. H. Truesdell, meats,	35.90
Fred Thompson, "	11.92
Barber & Dupraw, "	311.02
Clark & Hastings, groceries,	93.20
Clark & Hastings, pigs,	8.00
E. Brown & Co., labor and supplies,	77.39
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., 'phone,	27.94
Quimby Pharmacy, drugs,	12.45
Lynde & Gould, drugs,	46.32
Central Mass. Electric Co., lights,	55.29
W. F. Fillmore, grain,	163.91
A. D. Thomas, grain,	32.55
J. W. Miller, fertilizer and grain,	250.69
Gale Brothers, supplies,	5.00
Whitcomb & Faulkner, supplies,	148.54
Potter & Bond, sawing,	2.16
E. Goodes, shoes,	40.80
A. W. W. Lloyd, supplies,	9.30
J. S. Knox & Co., supplies,	13.05
H. A. Shaw, supplies,	15.20
D. C. Perkins, pastries,	32.68
LeGro & Lyon, labor,	8.61
S. H. Hellyar, insurance,	118.50
Roy Cummings, insurance,	60.00
	————— \$3,453.91

RECEIPTS AT FARM.

Balance from 1907,	\$ 9.32	
Received for eggs,	55.81	
" butter,	236.48	
" miscellaneous,	16.19	
" old potatoes,	6.00	
" new potatoes,	20.00	
" hay,	17.00	
" meat,	125.75	
" poultry,	24.04	
" vegetables,	12.04	
" cow,	30.00	
" board C. Squiers,	63.00	
" " Wilton Taft,	285.00	
" " Mrs. McGowan,	288.00	
" " Mrs. Bernash,	286.00	
		<u>\$1,474.63</u>

PAID OUT BY WARDEN.

Paid Town Treasurer,	\$1,231.23	
Paid for supplies,	66.85	
" labor,	99.31	
" car fares,	4.50	
" ensilage cutting,	23.00	
" telephone exchange,	5.01	
" pigs,	7.00	
" barber's services,	5.15	
" veterinary surgeon,	3.50	
" E. Goodes' bill,	8.55	
Balance carried to 1909 account,	20.53	
		<u>\$1,474.63</u>

COST OF MAINTAINING TOWN FARM.

Orders drawn on Town Farm account,	\$3,453.91	
Paid from Town Farm receipts,	243.40	
Total paid out,	\$3,697.31	
Income at Farm,	1,474.63	
Net cost of Farm,	\$2,222.68	

Whole number of inmates during the year,	28
Largest number at one time,	21
Smallest number at one time,	15
Average number,	18 1-52
Number of weeks' board furnished inmates,	937
Average cost per week per person,	\$2.37+
Males 19, Females 9.	
Two deaths, both males.	

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION.

For painting and repairs,	\$200.00	
George A. Authier, painting,		\$ 69.00
Patrick O'Brine, labor,		6.00
Potter & Bond, lumber,		7.78
C. N. Ellithorpe & Son, supplies,		19.95
P. J. Crowley, labor,		28.25
Whitcomb & Faulkner, supplies,		2.75
F. F. Marcy, supplies,		.95
		\$134.68

INVENTORY TOWN FARM, 1909.

Live stock,	\$1,007.50
Hay and grain,	669.09
Vegetables,	165.52
Wood, coal and lumber,	338.25
Wagons and tools,	487.85
Furniture and fixtures,	841.15
Crockery and table ware,	96.45
Clothing and cloth,	24.53
Supplies and provisions,	91.85
Drugs and Medicine,	14.65
	\$3,736.84
Inventory, 1908,	3,202.32
Increase,	\$ 534.52

OUTSIDE POOR.

L. L. Dupuis, supplies, Louis Baldue,	\$152.00	
W. F. Fillmore, fuel, Louis Baldue,	35.75	\$187.75

M. Lawlor & Co., supplies, Peter Cadieux,		\$102.00
M. Lawlor & Co., supplies, Pat. Riley,	\$ 78.00	
Clark & Hastings, supplies, Pat. Riley,	51.00	
George Bengle, supplies, Pat. Riley,	14.55	143.55
E. B. Taylor, supplies, George Lee,	111.93	
E. H. Truesdell, supplies, George Lee,	25.50	137.43
Brown Brothers, supplies, Mrs. P. Cantin,		69.00
Brown Brothers, supplies, P. Beauregard,	240.50	
Quimby Pharmacy, medicine, P. Beauregard,	.50	241.00
Brown Brothers, supplies, Mary O'Brien,		96.00
Clark & Hastings, supplies, A. Blanchard,		107.50
Clark & Hastings, supplies, Mrs. A. Galarka,		93.89
C. Hitchcock & Co., supplies, Mrs. Sampson,	164.28	
R. Gariepy, supplies, Mrs. Sampson,	28.50	192.78
Mrs. Jane Colburn, care, Elijah Coddington,		60.00
E. B. Taylor, supplies, Mrs. Jane Colburn,		8.00
Mrs. E. J. Matterson, cash,		36.00
John McCarty, rent, Mary Scanlon,	72.00	
Mrs. W. O. Phelps, rent, Mary Scanlon,	30.00	102.00
L. L. Dupuis, supplies, Thomas Bleau,	104.00	
W. F. Fillmore, fuel, Thomas Bleau,	6.50	110.50
N. A. Senton, supplies, Joseph Long,	146.00	
W. F. Fillmore, fuel, Joseph Long,	31.25	
A. W. Warriner, rent, Joseph Long,	29.46	
Quimby Pharmacy, medicine, Joseph Long,	1.00	
Town of East Longmeadow, supplies, Joseph Long,	14.36	222.07
City of Springfield, hospital care, Margaret Ellis,		16.43
City of Springfield, hospital care, Clara Coleman,		33.00
City of Springfield, hospital care, Minnie Gokey,		28.00
City of Springfield, hospital care, Mrs. Delia Dionne,		29.00
City of Springfield, hospital care, Harold Sherman,		33.00
City of Springfield, hospital care, Mrs. Mary E. Wheeler,		21.00

City of Springfield, aid, Esther Dudley,	\$	8.55
" " " Kate and Mary Cahill,		6.45
" " " John F. Lyons,		4.71
City of Springfield, aid, Mrs. C. Hanifin and family,		129.20
City of Springfield, aid, Kate and Mary Fenton,		5.40
Worcester City Hospital, medical attendance, Mrs. Minnie Mason,		11.43
Worcester City Hospital, medical attendance, Thomas Carrigan,		25.71
Town of Athol, supplies, E. Lacost,		18.50
City of Marlboro, supplies, Mrs. Exist Gamache,		52.00
Town of Ware, supplies, Tuffield Gokey and family,		69.00
City of Fitchburg, supplies, Mrs. Aurea Labeau,	\$91.12	
Mrs. Aurea Labeau, cash,	24.00	115.12
James Wilson, supplies, Mrs. John Woick,		22.07
Barber & Duprau, supplies, Fred Belanger,		12.00
Hospital Cottages, Baldwinsville, care Alice Carrigan,		120.24
George Bengle, shoes, Fred Robinson,		5.00
Dr. C. A. Deland, medical attendance, Mrs. Sarah Cobleigh,		48.25
M. S. Phillips, burial, William E. Bowen,		15.00
Mercy Hospital. medical care, Josephine Gabrina,		18.00
City of Holyoke, supplies, George Vachon and family,		25.00
Town of Amherst, aid, Mrs. E. H. Weir,		4.50
Joseph Belanger, burial, Helena Histopiki,		5.00
John Wilson, supplies, Hattie Young,		70.00
Mr. Lawlor & Co., supplies, Anthony Demorlawski,		18.00
Foxboro State Hospital, care, M. J. Huggard,		62.21
Town of Fair Haven, burial, Wm. Franklin,		15.00
City of New Bedford, supplies, Mary Corcoran,		7.50
The Mercy Hospital, medical attendance, Anthony Austin,		4.00
Clark & Hastings, supplies, Michael Suzdak,	13.00	

Quimby Pharmacy, medical attendance,		
Michael Suzdak,	\$ 1.50	\$ 14.50
City of New Bedford, supplies, Mary McCarty,		84.23
S. W. Lawrence, rent, Daniel Bowen,		20.00
Town of Belchertown, medical attendance,		
Ozria Dudley,		10.00
Town of Adams, supplies, Mrs. Frank Russell,		78.00
City of Worcester Hospital, care, Mrs. L. E.		
S. Barlow,		74.29
Dr. C. H. Giroux, Town Physician,		24.00
Sundry accounts, Mrs. Jason L. Palmer,		41.88
\$14.47 paid Town Treasurer on above account.		
O. A. Parent, supplies, Bridget McCarty,	72.79	
Quimby Pharmacy, medicine, Bridget McCarty,	4.10	76.89
		\$3,391.53

POOR BELONGING TO OTHER TOWNS AND CITIES.

TOWN OF BRIMFIELD.

Joseph Belanger, burial, Stearns child,		\$ 8.00
J. P. Schneider, transportation to hospital, Herbert Needham.	\$ 8.27	
Springfield Hospital, medical attendance, Herbert Needham,	3.30	11.57

CITY OF WORCESTER.

Barber & Duprau, supplies, Mrs. Rosanna Raymond,	\$115.35	
W. F. Fillmore, fuel, Mrs. Rosanna Raymond,	31.50	\$146.85

TOWN OF NORTON.

E. B. Taylor, supplies, Mrs. Gertrude Thompson,	\$122.74	
H. D. Converse, rent, Mrs. Gertrude Thompson,	99.96	
F. J. Hamilton, fuel, Mrs. Gertrude Thompson,	26.78	
Dr. C. Giroux, medical attendance, Mrs. Gertrude Thompson,	20.00	
M. E. Goetze, milk, Mrs. Gertrude Thompson,	15.02	

J. Gold, milk, Mrs. Gertrude Thompson,	\$	2.17	
Quimby Pharmacy, medicine, Mrs. Gertrude Thompson,		3.98	\$290.65
TOWN OF HARDWICK.			
Clark & Hastings, supplies, Mrs. Emily Dubie,			6.00
			\$463.07

POOR BELONGING TO THE STATE.

Nelson Fisher,			\$ 52.50
S. O. Miller, transportation to Mercy hospital,			
Roselia Bugson,	\$	11.00	
V. M. Frost, ambulance, Roselia Bugson,		2.00	
Mercy Hospital, medical attendance, Roselia Bugson,		31.00	44.00
Clark & Hastings, supplies, Mary Berrish,			8.00
Transportation to New London, C. E. Lewis and W. A. Wilcox and family,			12.90
Joseph Belanger, burial, Mike Wahowski,			15.00
E. W. & C. H. Burns, care and board, Mrs. Laura Wilson,		58.85	
Dr. C. R. Carsley, medical attendance, Mrs. Laura Wilson,		10.00	68.85
M. F. Sullivan, burial, S. Rubik,			15.00
Clark & Hastings, supplies, Mrs. Mary Neic,			2.00
W. F. Fillmore, supplies, John Perrin,		12.00	
C. H. Giroux, medical attendance, John Perrin,		3.50	15.50
Brown Brothers, supplies, Ernest Nason,		30.50	
Patrick Crowley, car fare, Nason children,		7.65	38.15
City of Marlboro, supplies, Exist Gamache,			52.00
S. M. Phillips, burial, Clemento Giglo,			15.00
M. F. Sullivan, burial, Mrs. Agnes Kictbarro,			15.00
Dr. C. H. Giroux, medical attendance, Peter Sabik,		22.00	
Anthony Vilk, care, Peter Sabik,		7.72	
Transportation to Tewksbury, Peter Sabik,		8.30	38.02
			\$391.92

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

New England Tel. & Tel., phone and tolls,	\$ 54.70
Palmer Journal, advertising,	2.13
George E. Clough, advertising,	1.05
Library Bureau, supplies,	2.90
F. H. Rane, pine seedlings,	4.00
A. A. Warriner, cash paid out,	13.23
H. T. Bishop, cash paid out,	10.25
J. P. Schneider, examination, Walter Hodgenson,	2.00
J. F. Holbrook, postage and envelopes,	5.82
Hobbs & Warren, blanks,	1.67
	\$ 97.75

SALARIES.

H. T. Bishop,	\$138.00
A. A. Warriner,	138.00
P. J. Crowley,	124.00
	\$400.00

RECAPITULATION.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriations for the support of poor,	\$7,000.00	
Appropriations from funds in town treasury,	1,200.00	
Special appropriation,	200.00	
Overseers' salaries,	400.00	
Reimbursed by City of Worcester,	132.39	
Reimbursed by Town of Norton,	199.42	
Reimbursed by Town of Brimfield,	22.61	
Reimbursed by J. L. Palmer,	14.47	
Reimbursed by State,	311.45	
Town Farm income,	1,454.10	
		\$10,934.44

PAYMENTS.

Support of poor on Town Farm,	\$3,453.91
Support of poor not on Town Farm,	3,391.53
Poor belonging to other towns,	463.07
Poor belonging to the State,	391.92
Special appropriation,	134.68

Miscellaneous expenses,	\$ 97.75	
Town Farm, expenses paid by Warden,	222.87	
Overseers' salaries,	400.00	
		\$8,555.73
Balance,		\$2,378.71

BILLS DUE THE TOWN.

City of Worcester,	\$158.61
Town of Norton,	30.64
Town of Hardwick,	6.00
State, 1908, account,	367.12
State, 1907, account,	65.30

NET COST.

Paid for support of poor,		\$7,932.86
Received from other cities and towns,	\$ 454.42	
Received from the state,	311.50	
Due from other cities and towns,	295.25	
Due from the state,	432.42	
Cash from Town Farm,	1,231.23	
Special appropriation,	134.68	
J. L. Palmer account,	14.47	2,873.97
		\$5,058.89

HARRY T. BISHOP,	} Overseers
A. A. WARRINER,	
PATRICK CROWLEY,	
	} of the
	} Poor.

Cemetery Commissioners' Report.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1909.

In submitting their annual report, the Cemetery Commissioners would acknowledge the support and coöperation of the citizens, in their endeavor to make our cemeteries more worthy of the Town of Palmer.

We would express our appreciation of the generous donations of the Woman's Tuesday Club, the Woman's Relief Corps and others that enable us to beautify the grounds at Palmer by the planting of shrubbery.

The terraces begun two years ago have been completed, placing on the market desirable lots to the value of more than seventeen hundred dollars. We have paved over two hundred yards of gutter, have hardened and widened our roadways and sodded nearly one-fourth of a mile of embankment, thus removing the unsightly yellow sand banks that skirted our drives.

In accordance with the vote of the town we have set apart a suitable lot for the erection of a monument to the unknown dead, have graded and re-sodded the same and a neat monument has been placed thereon by the ladies of the W. R. C. Circle.

The plan adopted at the beginning of the year, of engaging two men permanently for work in the cemeteries of the town, has proven a complete success. Our care of private lots has benefitted both the lot owners and the town; our building foundations have been of like advantage and the improved condition of our cemeteries is the direct result of this plan.

We would say a word of appreciation of the work of both Mr. H. M. Bliss and Mr. J. L. Dean, who have taken a personal interest in our cemeteries as well as performed their duties faithfully. We have had two fires, caused by sparks from engines on the N. Y. C.

& H. R. R. at Four Corners cemetery, which damaged the fence ; claim for damages has been made and is in the process of adjustment.

We would ask the coöperation of those who frequent our burial grounds, that the lawns and embankments may be as carefully preserved as possible.

Appropriation, 1908 from treasury,	\$850.00
Appropriation, 1908 earnings,	881.64
Sale lots, Depot Village,	231.75
Sale lots, Four Corners,	56.00
	\$2,019.39

Paid for labor, orders drawn,	\$849.68
Paid for labor, earnings,	881.64
Paid J. F. Holbrook, lots,	287.75
Balance appropriation,	.32
	\$2,019.39

DUE FOR LOTS.

F. W. Hollingsworth,	\$ 6.00
Agnes M. Colgrove,	7.00
J. M. Otis,	8.00
C. A. and C. N. Ellithorpe,	24.00

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation, 1908,	\$850.00
Appropriation, earnings,	
Grading lots,	\$138.40
Opening graves,	137.00
Care private lots,	164.00
Building foundations,	157.24
P. C. fund,	236.75
Trimming graves,	11.00
Extra labor,	12.25
Donations,	25.00
	\$881.64

Sale of lots :

J. H. Kenerson,	\$ 10.00	
Fred Korff,	8.00	
Est. A. Ramsden,	8.00	
James Summers,	24.00	
Mrs. Elizabeth Smith,	8.00	
Niels Johnson,	8.00	
Thomas W. Cole,	8.00	
Charles H. Davis,	24.00	
F. F. Marcy,	100.00	
Henry Thayer est.,	8.00	
Mrs. Ida L. Place,	8.00	
James Henderson,	8.00	
Thomas Holt,	8.00	
Emily M. Holdsworth,	10.75	
B. M. Griswold,	6.00	
W. E. and L. M. Kenyon,	24.00	
Edson T. Walker,	8.00	
Single graves,	9.00	287.75
		\$2,019.39

EXPENDITURES.

S. H. Wright, sharpening mowers,	\$ 2.20
Berger Mfg. Co., markers,	36.00
Mrs. K. Lawlor, water and repairs,	4.40
F. F. Marcy, bricks, etc.,	2.85
McGregory & Casman, labor,	15.00
J. Lawlor & Sons, “	3.25
J. S. Knox & Co., plants,	6.75
E. Brown Co., supplies,	6.25
Palmer Journal,	4.25
Ye Bay Path Printery,	2.25
W. H. Brainerd, surveys and plans,	25.50
Chas. R. Fish & Co., shrubs,	80.27
D. L. Bodfish, supplies,	11.33
D. L. Bodfish, postage,	4.27
A. L. Roper, dressing,	1.50

G. E. Trask, blue print,	\$	1.25	
J. Summers, labor,		1.65	
J. Belanger, "		1.55	
Whitcomb & Faulkner, supplies,		124.41	
L. G. Barker, stone,		4.00	
C. S. Ruggles, building,		50.00	
D. F. Holden, filling,		19.00	
Smith Harrington, ashes,		2.04	
T. A. Harwood, labor,		442.50	
Palmer Trucking Co., labor,		95.97	
D. E. Marcy, labor,		4.50	
O. R. F. Smith, labor,		19.25	
B. M. Harvey,		1.65	
A. J. Ryder,		3.00	
S. H. Brown,		9.40	
F. B. Ramsden,		11.25	
H. S. Hobson,		3.00	
C. H. Keith,		10.80	
Mrs. H. D. Braman,		3.00	
A. E. Edson,		1.00	
C. Andrews,		32.45	
G. W. Moon,		37.22	
G. Richmond,		6.38	
H. J. Braman,		6.75	
J. L. Dean,		257.48	
H. M. Bliss,		305.80	
J. F. Twiss,		7.70	
C. J. Leary, paving,		55.25	
C. T. Brainerd, stone,	7.00	\$1,321.35	
J. F. Holbrook, lots,		287.75	
Balance appropriation,		.32	
		\$2019.39	

PERPETUAL CARE FUND.

Name.	Amount.	Present condition
Louisa Waid,	\$200.00	\$218.83
John A. Squier,	100.00	107.32
Waterman Fuller,	200.00	222.28
John and Lucy Smith,	200.00	220.25
John H. Haynes,	200.00	225.83
W. A. Breckenridge,	200.00	215.83
Laura E. Child,	500.00	515.17
Henry Scism,	100.00	107.32
Jane A. Gibson,	100.00	105.61
Calista E. Hendricks,	100.00	108.69
Keyes Foster,	100.00	102.39
James W. Snow,	100.00	111.11
A. W. Green,	200.00	221.25
Phiney Cooley,	50.00	52.29
H. G. Loomis,	200.00	219.96
Maria Lawrence,	500.00	531.75
William Holbrook,	200.00	214.28
Torrey Fund.	100.00	107.90
E. B. Gates,	50.00	53.99
Franklin Blanchard,	100.00	105.32
Minnie K. Bennett,	200.00	208.78
Mary A. Shaw,	100.00	107.32
Amos O. Allen,	100.00	103.97
Harriet Coolidge,	200.00	211.96
Mrs. L. W. Brown,	200.00	211.02
Eliza J. Kenerson,	200.00	204.30
Wm. Merriam,	200.00	209.63
Mary Redding,	50.00	52.00
D. S. Davis,	200.00	205.89
A. M. Andrews,	200.00	204.00
Marshall Andrews,	200.00	207.00
Enos Calkins,	100.00	103.00
Samuel C. Rogers,	200.00	207.00
Willard G. Kenerson,	100.00	102.00
Maria B. Chapman,	200.00	205.00
Maria B. Chapman (Barker),	100.00	102.00

Name.	Amount.	Present condition
Julia H. Henry,	100.00	102.00
Isaac King,	150.00	153.00
Abel H. Calkins,	100.00	103.00
E. C. Sexton,	100.00	100.00
Henry A. Moore,	100.00	100.00
J. S. Koster,	100.00	100.00
Melissa Hall,	150.00	150.00
Jeremiah Long,	1,000.00	1,020.00
Mary J. Plympton,	100.00	102.00
Clymena P. Fuller,	150.00	150.00
	\$8,100.00	\$8,492.24

Gain in perpetual care fund, 1908,	\$1800.00
Cemetery Commissioners, interest fund,	99.53

INVENTORY OF PROPERTY IN CEMETERIES.

1 toolhouse, Palmer,	\$ 75.00
1 toolhouse, Four Corners,	50.00
Tools in toolhouses,	50.00
Palmer, unused land, est. value,	1,200.00
Four Corners, unused land, est. value,	100.00
	\$1,475.00

DAVID L. BODFISH,	}	Cemetery Commissioners.
LOUIS G. BARKER,		
FREDERICK M. RALTON,		

Assessors' Report.

APPROPRIATIONS ANNUAL MEETING MARCH 23, 1908

Support of Poor,	\$ 7,000.00
Contingencies,	200.00
Salaries Overseers of Poor,	400.00
Sewers and culverts,	1,000.00
Care of bridges,	1,000.00
Sidewalks, care and construction of	1,000.00
Railings,	400.00
Supt. of Schools and teachers' salaries,	19,825.00
Janitors,	1,850.00
Music and drawing,	1,000.00
Fuel and lights,	2,100.00
Text books and supplies,	1,400.00
Transportation of scholars,	1,800.00
Contingencies (school),	500.00
Repairs,	500.00
Medical inspection,	200.00
Repairs Bondsville schoolhouse,	400.00
Insurance,	440.00
Tax Collector's salary,	500.00
Contingencies, Selectmen,	3,050.00
Precinct officers and polling places,	250.00
Care and rent of lockup,	230.00
Assessors, salaries of	550.00
Selectmen, salaries of	550.00
Gypsy moth, extermination of	100.00
Town Treasurer, salary of	300.00
Tree Warden,	50.00
Auditors,	40.00

Board of Health, use of	\$ 100.00
Bond of town officers,	145.00
Night police,	1,600.00
Salaries, Board of Health,	500.00
Retaining wall at Thorndike, Article 39,	100.00
Suppressing illegal sale of liquor,	300.00
Young Men's Library Association,	1,200.00
Memorial Day,	100.00
Lighting streets.	4,500.00
Care and improvement of cemeteries,	800.00
Map for Assessors,	250.00
Raising grade at Three Rivers,	400.00
Repairs of hearse,	150.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures, salary of	100.00
Repairs on engine house,	500.00
Fire hose,	250.00
Gravel or ash walk, Bondsville,	200.00
Highways, repairs of,	4,481.72
Maturing town bonds,	3,600.00
King steet, extension of	2,000.00
Highways, repairs of, from Feb. 15 to Mar. 23,	100.00
Interest;	1,600.00
Maturing Bonds Three Rivers Grammar School,	3,000.00
	\$72,611.72

APPROPRIATIONS, SPECIAL MEETING,
JUNE 20, 1908.

Mordan system of plumbing, Bondsville schoolhouse,	\$1,800.00
Shingling Town House,	350.00
Grading at Three Rivers, (Art. 10)	60.00
Grading Bridge street, Three Rivers,	150.00
Use of Committee North Main street sewer,	50.00
Alterations, Memorial building,	100.00
Alterations in the different grammar school buildings,	500.00
Plans for new high school,	500.00
New sidewalk, Bondsville.	100.00
	\$76,221.72

County tax, 1908,	\$4,010.89
State tax, 1908,	6,160.00
State highway tax, 1908,	263.00
Grade crossing tax, 1908,	780.00
	\$87,435.61
Interest on Town debt,	1,800.00
	\$89,235.61
Less estimated receipts,	11,000.00
	\$78,235.61
Less amount appropriated from treasury,	5,000.00
	\$73,235.61
Overlay,	1,209.61
Non-resident bank tax on collector's book,	1,037.16
Amount of warrant July 16, 1908,	\$75,482.38
Taxes since added to collector's book,	897.84
Springfield and Eastern Street Railway excise tax,	513.97
	\$76,894.19
Taxes abated during year,	201.80
Total amount on collector's book,	\$76,692.39

VALUATION FOR 1908.

Personal estate,	\$1,304,217	
Resident bank stock,	39,700	
		\$1,343,917
	REAL ESTATE.	
Buildings,	\$1,945,598	
Land,	782,998	
		\$2,728,596
	SINCE ADDED.	
Personal estate,	\$49,837	
Real estate,	1,200	
		\$51,037
		\$4,123,550

VALUE ABATED DURING YEAR.

On personal estate,	\$7,400	
On real estate,	4,100	\$11,500
Total valuation of Town,		\$4,112,050
Number of polls assessed,	2,199	
Since added,	10	
	2,209	
Polls abated during year,	2	
	2,207	
Rate per \$1,000, \$17.20.		

In accordance with a vote taken at the last annual town meeting the assessors have procured an excellent map of the Depot Village, the work of William H. Brainerd, civil engineer. The cost of the map was \$250, but its value in assisting the board in making an equitable assessment cannot be overestimated.

We recommend that a similar map of the villages of Thorndike and Bondsville be obtained during the coming year which we are advised can be had at a cost approximating \$400.

Some systematic numbering of the buildings of the Depot Village would be a great aid to the assessors and also increase the value of the card system which has been procured for this board.

JOHN O. HAMILTON,	} Assessors
HARRY T. BISHOP,	
ROY E. CUMMINGS,	
	} of
	} Palmer

FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1 OF THE TOWN OF PALMER.
APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1908.

Water,	\$1,240.00
Fire patrol,	250.00
Contingencies,	250.00
Contingencies, company practice,	50.00
Firemen's salaries,	610.00
Engineer of steamer,	75.00
Clerk of steamer,	10.00
Stoker,	30.00
Chief Engineer,	150.00
First Assistant Engineer,	35.00
Second Assistant Engineer,	30.00
Janitor,	96.00
Supt. of fire alarm,	75.00
Coal,	40.00
Treasurer's salary,	30.00
Treasurer's bond,	10.00
New wire,	100.00
	\$3,081.00
Appropriated from treasury,	150.00
	\$2,931.00
Overlay,	37.70
	\$2,968.70

VALUATION FOR 1908.

Personal estate,	\$ 490,340
Real estate,	1,365,100
	\$1,855,440
Rate \$1.60 per \$1,000.	

JOHN O. HAMILTON,	}	Assessors of Palmer
HARRY T. BISHOP,		
ROY E. CUMMINGS,		

Tax Collector's Report.

1907.

Amount on Assessors' book uncollected,	\$64.66
Abatements,	18.62
	\$46.04
Paid Treasurer,	46.04

1908.

Amount on Assessors' book,	\$75,482.38
Amount added,	897.84
Interest,	178.88
Excise tax,	513.97
Paid Treasurer,	\$75,613.40
Paid Treasurer excise tax,	513.97
Claims allowed,	276.00
Abatements,	548.43
Outstanding,	121.27
	\$77,073.07
	\$77,073.07

J. A. HAWKES, Collector.

Treasurer's Report.

RECEIPTS.

1908.

Balance in treasury,	\$16,129.95
Received of State Treasurer, support of state paupers,	149.00
Temporary aid,	143.65
Transportation state paupers,	3.90
Tuition of children,	155.10
Corporation tax,	747.69
National Bank tax,	178.70
Street railway tax,	8,846.62
State and military aid,	1,530.00
Burial of soldiers and sailors,	37.00
Burial of paupers,	15.00
County Treasurer, dog tax,	712.24
Sheriff of Hampden County, fines,	18.00
Peddlers' licenses,	169.00
Auctioneer's licenses,	8.00
Undertaker's licenses,	4.00
Pool licenses,	34.00
Slaughter house licenses,	2.00
Bowling alley licenses,	8.00
Junk dealer's licenses,	333.00
Sunday concert licenses,	12.00
City of Worcester, pauper account,	150.89
Town of Brimfield, pauper account,	22.61
Town of Norton,	299.42
Overseers of Poor, refunded account,	14.35
Town of Monson, tuition,	385.00

Received of Lee T. Gray, tuitions,	\$ 66.50
Town of North Wilbraham, tuition,	17.50
Town of Wilbraham, tuition,	52.50
Cemetery Commissioners' account,	287.75
Town of Monson, bridge account,	17.22
Town of Belchertown, $\frac{1}{2}$ labor on bridge,	117.14
Interest on Thompson fund,	38.42
Interest on Merrick fund,	34.34
Interest on bank account,	348.34
James Knox. lockup fees,	4.00
W. F. Waite, sealing, etc.,	111.16
J. L. Palmer,	14.47
O. P. Allen, town histories,	127.50
Springfield and Eastern Street Railway Co., account Wire Mill crossing,	780.00
Springfield and Eastern Street Railway Co., copying three decrees,	140.25
Chas. S. Ruggles, Three Rivers school- house,	250.00
T. P. Bosquet, for sale of goods,	1.25
Rent of pest house,	8.00
Rent of Three Rivers school lot (2 years),	10.00
Palmer National Bank, refunded account,	.30
A. E. Fitch, clerk of court,	2.76
S. H. Hellyar, dividend on insurance policy Town Farm,	8.88
J. A. Hawkes, tax, 1907,	46.04
J. A. Hawkes, tax, 1908,	75,613.40
Excise tax,	513.97
Liquor licenses,	11,904.00
Palmer Savings Bank, temp. loan,	22,000.00
Town Farm,	1,231.23
Sewer licenses,	104.50
	\$143,960.54

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Palmer Savings Bank, temp. loan,	\$30,832.30
Palmer Savings Bank, interest,	795.81
County Treasurer, county tax,	4,010.89
State Treasurer, corporation tax,	2.92
National Bank tax,	1,185.14
$\frac{1}{2}$ liquor licenses,	2,976.00
State tax,	6,160.00
Abolition grade crossing loan fund,	750.00
Interest on,	30.00
Repairs of state highways,	263.00
Town bonds,	6,600.00
Interest on town bonds,	2,711.25
State aid,	1,394.00
Military aid,	264.00
Cost of district court,	488.13
Selectmen's payrolls,	18,585.42
Highway Surveyor's payrolls,	8,991.88
School Committee's payrolls,	32,257.23
Overseers of Poor payrolls and salaries,	8,332.86
Building Committee payrolls,	6,119.49
Special highway appropriation,	100.00
	————— \$132,850.32
Total receipts,	\$143,960.54
Total expenditures,	132,850.32
Balance in treasury,	————— \$11,110.22

INDEBTEDNESS OF THE TOWN OF PALMER.

Refunding loan,	\$18,000.00
Grammar school bonds,	19,200.00
Temporary loan,	6,271.70
Three Rivers school bonds,	27,000.00
	————— \$70,471.70

Respectfully submitted,

JOS. F. HOLBROOK, Treasurer.

Auditor's Report.

To the citizens of Palmer :

We have examined the accounts of town officers for the year ending Feb. 15, 1909, and respectfully submit the following report :

Orders drawn by School Committee,	\$32,257.23
“ “ Selectmen,	18,585.42
“ “ Overseers of Poor,	8,332.86
“ “ Highway Surveyor,	9,091.88
“ “ Three Rivers School Building. Com.,	5,619.49

Total receipts of Town Treasurer,	\$143,960.54
Total disbursements of Town Treasurer,	132,850.32
Balance in hands of Town Treasurer,	\$11,110.22

ACCOUNTS OF TAX COLLECTOR.

Year of 1907.

Amount outstanding last report,	\$64.66
Paid Treasurer,	\$46.04
Abated,	18.62 64.66

Year of 1908.

Amount on Assessors' books,	\$75,482.38
Amount added by Assessors,	897.84
Interest collected,	178.88

Total,	\$76,559.10
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Abatements,	\$ 548.43
Claims allowed,	276.00
Outstanding,	121.27
Paid Treasurer,	75,613.40
	\$76,559.10

E. W. CARPENTER,	}	Auditors.
C. A. LEGRO,		

Palmer, February 27, 1909.

Board of Health.

PALMER, MASS., March 15, 1909.

The Board of Health respectfully submit the following report :

During the past year the number of contagious diseases reported was not as large as in 1907 and the number grows less each year. For the year just closed 62 less than the year before were reported, and this is all the more surprising in view of the fact that five of the cases of last year were diseases that, previous to the past year, were not in the class required to be reported. We are again indebted to Dr. H. C. Emerson, State Medical Examiner, of Springfield, for the valuable assistance he has given the Board.

The drinking water in the villages has been improved during the year. The Boston Duck Company will soon be able to supply good drinking water for its tenants and others of Bondsville who wish it. The Thorndike Company is also preparing to supply its tenants with good drinking water.

The expenses of the Board have been more than usual. This is due to the fact that many bills previously chargeable to the Overseers of the Poor are now paid by the Board of Health. If a contagious disease exists in a family, and application is made for aid, the Board of Health, and not the Overseers of the Poor, is called upon to furnish the same. If a wage earner is quarantined because of a contagious disease in his family, he may apply to the Board of Health and receive two-thirds of his wages, not exceeding, however, \$2.00 per day. For this reason the Board recommends that a sum of \$1000.00 be appropriated for its use, in addition to the amount required for salaries. Much of the money expended by the Board is for persons who have settlements in other towns. This

money in time is paid back to the Town Treasurer. Under the present vote of the Town, the Board cannot receive or use the money again, which has been once expended for this purpose.

J. P. SCHNEIDER,	}	Board of Health of Palmer.
SAMUEL O. MILLER,		
H. C. CHENEY,		

TABLE NO. 1.

Showing the number of contagious and infectious diseases reported to the Board from February 15, 1908, to February 15, 1909 :

	Feb. '08	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan. '09	Feb.	Total
Diphtheria and Croup,	2	8	2	1	1			2	3	4	2			25
Scarlet Fever,	2	10	6	2	1	1								23
Measles,		1	1	2				1						5
Typhoid Fever,					1		2	4				1		8
Consumption,	1								1	2				3
Chicken Pox,														3
Total,	5	19	9	5	3	1	2	7	4	7	2	1		65

TABLE NO. 2.

Number of deaths reported to the Board from February 15, 1908 to February 15, 1909.

1908.

1909.

Feb.	Mch.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
5	7	11	11	7	13	13	14	8	7	14	13	2

Total, 125.

Burial permits	issued by the Board,	125
Undertakers' licenses	“ “	4
Slaughter house licenses,	“ “	3

TABLE NO. 3.

Ages at death of persons dying in Palmer from February 15, 1908 to February 15, 1909.

Ages.	Totals.	Males.	Females.
Less than 1 year,	48	20	28
1 to 2 years,	4	1	3
2 to 3 "	4	2	2
3 to 4 "	3	2	1
4 to 5 "			
5 to 10 "	3	3	
10 to 15 "	2	1	1
15 to 20 "	4		4
20 to 30 "	8	5	3
30 to 40 "	10	5	5
40 to 50 "	3	3	
50 to 60 "	8	5	3
60 to 70 "	11	6	5
70 to 80 "	11	2	9
80 to 90 "	3	1	2
90 to 100 "	3	1	2
Totals,	125	57	68

Board of Health, Palmer, Mass.

Gentlemen :

Enclosed I hand you my report of the work done for your board during the year ending February 28, 1909.

There have been submitted to me for examination cultures from 34 cases of supposed diphtheria. All but one of the cases were submitted for diagnosis. Seventeen of the cases showed the presence of diphtheria organisms, while 16 did not show diphtheria.

The largest number of cases examined in any one month was during March, 1908. The rest of the cases were distributed throughout the year. A total of 125 examinations were made upon these 34 cases.

The following table shows the distribution of the work month by month.

Months.	DIAGNOSIS.		RELEASE.		Total Cases.	Total Cultures
	Positive.	Negative.	Positive.	Negative.		
March, 1908	5	2	1	0	8	33
April	1	3	0	0	4	18
May	1	1	0	0	2	8
June	1	1	0	0	2	5
July	0	1	0	0	1	1
August	0	2	0	0	2	2
September	2	1	0	0	3	3
October	3	1	0	0	4	13
November	3	1	0	0	4	22
December	1	2	0	0	3	17
January, 1909	0	1	0	0	1	3
February	0	0	0	0	0	0
	—	—	—	—	—	—
	17	16	1	0	34	125
	Total cases examined			34		
	Total cultures examined			125		

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT C. EMERSON, M. D., Bacteriologist.

Springfield, Mass., March 3, 1909.

Report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of Palmer :

In compliance with the requirements of the Revised Ordinances, I have the honor to submit the annual report of this department.

The annual report of this department dates from Nov. 15th, 1907 to Nov. 15th, 1908. I have tested, sealed, corrected or condemned as required, the following :

Platform scales, weighing over 5000 pounds,	19
Platform scales, weighing under 5000 pounds,	61
Computing scales,	18
All other scales, (condemned 4),	113
Weights (corrected 38),	451
Dry measures (condemned 2),	129
Liquid measures, (condemned 5),	120
Milk jars (glass) (condemned 43),	651
Linear measures (yard sticks, etc.),	13

Total scales, measures and weights inspected, etc.,	1,575
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Reweighing of coal in transit,	2
Special inspections in stores, etc.,	22
Special inspection of junk dealers' scales,	2
Fees received for above and same paid to the Town	

Treasurer, \$59.66.

The general inspection, testing, sealing, etc., was made in April and May, when said inspection was completed ; all scales, weights, measures, etc., brought to my notice, were carefully tested and left in a satisfactory condition.

In October an inspection was made, and while some irregularities were found, (such as using a liquid measure for the sale of beans, nuts or cranberries), these were corrected, and at the present time this department believes the merchants are complying with the law. Many commodities are sold by the bottle, pint and package and not as a measured or weighed quantity (while some are uncertain as to quantity); if they are accepted by the purchaser as a bottle, pint or package, remember you have bought a package and not a measured or weighed quantity.

The position of Sealer of Weights and Measures has become of special importance, judging from the attention it receives from the Commissioner of Weights and Measures at Boston, calling upon the local sealer to perform many duties that have heretofore been considered as duties of special inspectors from the office of the Commissioner.

The work of this department for the coming year if carried on as required by recent instructions from the Commissioner at Boston will require double the time and expense now given to the work. It has taken some sixty days at an expense of about twenty dollars to do the work this past year, therefore the salary of one hundred dollars paid the sealer is inadequate to pay for the work now required of this department, remembering that the Sealer has to pay all expenses out of his salary.

I would recommend the sum of two hundred dollars be paid the Sealer as a salary and the expenses of the office be paid from the fees collected.

Respectfully,

W. F. WAITE, Sealer.

Report of the Milk Inspector.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Palmer, Mass :

I herewith submit to you my report as Inspector of Milk.

It being the first time in which the office of Inspector of Milk has been performed in the Town of Palmer, it has been the object of this office to deal carefully with the requirements regarding the handling and the sale of milk.

Barns, vehicles and other places of dealers to whom licenses have been granted have been inspected as required. Such alterations or improvements as were required to conform with the rules of the Board of Health have been given attention by the dealers. No special testings of milk, nor any special investigations as to the handling of the milk have been necessary as no complaints have been made to this department.

In regard to the placing of the license number on all wagons or other vehicles used in the conveyance and sale of milk, I would recommend that a uniform style or form be adopted, and the rules be so revised as to require each dealer that conveys or delivers milk by team, when taking out a license, or receiving a renewal of his license, to accept such style or form of license number as you may adopt.

The display of names and license numbers on wagons, etc., has been very unsatisfactory and unless some such method as mentioned above be adopted I believe it would continue to be so.

There have been 103 licenses granted for which the town has received \$51.50 at an expense of \$63.30.

Respectfully,

W. F. WAITE, Inspector of Milk.

Young Men's Library Association.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1909.

I herewith present my second annual report as librarian of your Association.

The increase in the annual appropriation of money for the use of the Association has made it possible to pay the assistant librarian a salary of three hundred and fifty dollars per year and to purchase more than the usual number of new books.

The appropriation of twelve hundred dollars, however, does not enable the library to serve the Town of Palmer as it should be served. Along the lines of government, economics, sociology, ethics and science the library has a great scarcity of literature. Source books in any one of those lines are so few that no student of them can either make a detailed study of the subject or become acquainted with more than one opinion concerning it.

Such a condition is undesirable and prevents the library from exercising the educational influence in the town and in the community that it should and might exercise with more funds at the disposal of the Association.

Not only is the library wanting in literature on the subjects above named, but some of the most valuable monthly and quarterly magazines along those lines, such as the Political Science Quarterly, The American Journal of Political Economy and the American Journal of Sociology, are not to be found there on account of their cost.

With an adequate appropriation the library would much more nearly fill its proper place in the town and extend to its constituents the service to which they are entitled.

In January, 1909, a branch of the library was established in the new recreation building at Three Rivers, and the books there have circulated well.

During the coming year, and just as soon as the arrangements can be made, branches will be established in Thorndike and Bonds-ville. In order to do that successfully and to serve well each one of the communities of the town it will be necessary to buy four volumes of some books, while fewer of others will perhaps supply the demand.

The policy of the Association in the immediate past has been to buy standard books, that is, books of permanent value as distinguished from fiction, which has only a temporary value and gradually depreciates until it becomes worthless.

While the circulation of books has been larger during the past year than at any previous time it should be much greater. The average has been two and one-fifth books per capita of population and ten and three-fifths books for each one of the 1616 persons to whom a card has been issued since July, 1904.

Among the seventy-six hundred books in the library there is something of real literary value and enjoyment for every man, woman and child in town. There are books for study, books for rest, books for adults, and juvenile books. And in addition to the books now in the library and to those which will be purchased in pursuance of the general policy of the Association there is a willingness and a desire to supply every legitimate demand for books in so far as the means available will permit.

In accordance with the vote of the Association at its last annual meeting the library will be open to the public on Sundays from 3.30 to 6 p. m. and from 7 to 8 p. m. Sunday newspapers, the leading magazines, and the books will be free to all who may wish to use the library for reading or for study during those hours.

The circulation for the year has been as follows :

Fiction, exclusive of Booklovers,	10,152
Booklovers,	2,690
All other classes,	4,353
Total circulation,	17,195
Number of volumes in library March 1, 1908,	7,502
Booklovers returned,	110
Net,	7,392

Purchased,	98
Rented of Booklovers,	80
Donated,	37
Books on hand March 1, 1909,	7,607

Respectfully submitted,

LEE T. GRAY, Librarian.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Cash on hand March 1, 1908,	\$ 161.39	
Received from Town of Palmer,	1,200.00	
Membership fees,	15.00	
Fines,	45.00	
G. A. R. coal,	60.47	
Paid for books,		\$173.91
Papers and magazines,		60.59
Miss Robinson, attendant,		350.04
James Knox, janitor,		147.00
Fuel and lights,		340.36
Labor,		12.04
Trucking,		.60
Binding,		43.00
Cash on hand March 1, 1909,		354.32
	\$1,481.86	\$1,481.86

LOUIS E. CHANDLER, Treasurer.

I have examined the accounts of the Young Men's Library Association and find them correct.

H. W. HOLBROOK.

Town Warrant.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

COUNTY OF HAMPDEN, SS. TOWN OF PALMER.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Palmer, in said County,

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of the Town of Palmer, qualified to vote in elections of town officers, to meet at the several polling places, in said Palmer, designated by the Selectmen, to wit : In Precinct A, at the Engine House on Park street in the Depot Village ; in Precinct B, at Temperance Hall on Commercial street in Thorndike ; in Precinct C, at Ruggles' Hall on East Main street in Three Rivers ; and in Precinct D, at Holden's Old Store in Bondsville, on Monday, the 15th day of March, A. D. 1909, at six o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in their votes on one ballot to the precinct officers of the several voting precincts of said town, for the following town officers, to wit : Three Selectmen, a Town Treasurer, a Collector of Taxes, a Highway Surveyor, two Auditors, five Constables and three Fence Viewers, all for the term of one year ; one Town Clerk for the term of three years ; one Assessor for the term of three years ; one Overseer of the Poor for the term of three years ; two members of the School Committee for the term of three years ; one member of the Board of Health for the term of three years ; one Cemetery Commissioner for the term of three years ; also to vote by ballot, which shall be "Yes" or "No," in answer to the question, "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors?" also to vote by ballot, which shall be "Yes" or "No," in answer to the question, "Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and eight, entitled 'An

Act to provide for the protection of forest or sprout lands from fire' be accepted by this Town?" also to vote by ballot, which shall be "Yes" or "No," in answer to the question, "Shall an Act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and nine, entitled 'An Act to provide for the election of a Board of License Commissioners by the Town of Palmer, be accepted by this Town?'"

The polls will be open at 6 o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are further hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Palmer, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Town House at Four Corners, in said Palmer, on Monday, the 22d day of March, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz :

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To choose two or more Field Drivers, Measurers of Wood and Bark, and all other usual town officers.

ART. 3. To see if the town will vote to hire or build a tramp room and lockup.

ART. 4. To act on the reports of the town officers.

ART. 5. To raise money and make appropriations to defray the expenses of the town for the ensuing year.

ART. 6. To see if the town will authorize its Treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of the taxes of the ensuing year, the same to be paid from said taxes.

ART. 7. To see if the town will authorize its Treasurer to borrow money not to be paid from the taxes of the ensuing year.

ART. 8. To hear and act on the reports of committees.

ART. 9. To choose committees and give them instructions.

ART. 10. To see if the town will allow a discount and determine what interest shall be paid on the taxes to be assessed for the ensuing year.

ART. 11. To determine the manner and state the terms and conditions of collecting the taxes for the ensuing year, and fix the compensation of the collector of taxes.

ART. 12. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors.

ART. 13. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for the Young Men's Library Association.

ART. 14. To see if the town will raise money to convey pupils to and from the public schools, and instruct the School Committee as to the manner of letting the contract for such conveyance.

ART. 15. To see if the town will vote to raise money for the celebration of Memorial Day.

ART. 16. To see what action the town will take in relation to sewers.

ART. 17. To see what action the town will take in regard to lighting the streets, and whether it will authorize the selectmen to make contract therefor.

ART. 18. To see what action the town will take in reference to the planting and preservation of shade trees.

ART. 19. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for the care and improvement of cemeteries.

ART. 20. To see what action the town will take in regard to sidewalks.

ART. 21. To see if the town will vote to maintain night police in the several villages, and appropriate money for the same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 22. To see what action the town will take relative to suits and claims now pending against the town.

ART. 23. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars for necessary aid to soldiers and sailors and their families of the slain, and entrust the same to L. L. Merrick Post of the Grand Army of the Republic, under the provisions of law.

ART. 24. To see if the town will instruct the Assessors to procure a map of the villages of Thorndike and Bondsville for their use, and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any other action relative thereto.

ART. 25. To see if the town will vote to establish a salary for the Sealer of Weights and Measures or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 26. To see if the town will vote to build a sidewalk along the northerly side of Walnut street in the Depot village from a point near the property of E. G. Hastings and thence westerly to Main street.

ART. 27. To see if the town will vote to clean or relay the old sewer, or construct a new sewer in Main street in the village of Thorndike, and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 28. To see if the town will vote to construct a sewer in North Main street from the Point of Rocks towards Shearer's Corner and on road to Three Rivers according to a plan prepared by William H. Brainerd, Civil Engineer, and raise and appropriate money for same.

ART. 29. To see what action the town will take in regard to paving or macadamizing Main street in the Depot Village, or any part thereof, and to raise and appropriate money for the same or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 30. To see if the town will vote to re-open the Forest Lake school, so-called, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 31. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to petition the county commissioners for the discontinuance of so much of the old Palmer and Monson turnpike as is included between the State highway and the northerly location line of the Boston and Albany Railroad in Tenneyville.

ART. 32. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to petition the county commissioners for the discontinuance of a section of the old "Boston Road" lying between the State highway near the Blodgett place, so-called, near the line between Palmer and Brimfield, and the easterly abutment of the bridge over the Quaboag river.

ART. 33. To see if the town will vote to extend the sewer in Belchertown road in the village of Three Rivers from its present terminus near the store of John Wilson northerly about three hundred (300) feet to the residence of Cornelius Sughrue.

ART. 34. To see if the town will raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3500) to be contributed toward the expense of building a bridge across the Quaboag river in substitution of the present Merrick bridge, so-called, near the Wire Mill.

ART. 35. To see if the town will accept the provisions of Section 43 of Chapter 49 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts regarding the construction of sidewalks and the assessment upon abutters of a part of the cost thereof.

ART. 36. To see if the town will take any action regarding claims against the Commonwealth which the town is under obligation to pay, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 37. To see if the town will limit the service of the Overseers of the Poor to one year, and from hereon elect for the same length of time.

ART. 38. To see if the town will grant Palmer Center three more Edison lights to begin at the Common and extend to the house of Reuben Lamb, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 39. To see if the town will install electric lights on High street in the village of Thorndike, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 40. To see if the town will install electric lights on Pleasant street in the village of Three Rivers, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 41. To see if the town will install electric lights on Ruggles street in the village of Three Rivers, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 42. To see if the town will install electric lights on Dublin street in the Depot Village, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 43. To see if the town will construct an ash walk from Crawford street to Pine street in the village of Bondsville, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 44. To see if the town will install a water supply in the schoolhouse in the Wire Mill District, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 45. To see if the town will construct a sewer in Pleasant street in the village of Bondsville, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 46. To see if the town will vote to build a new high school building in the Depot Village, add to or alter the present building, and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 47. To see if the town will determine the location of the new high school building in the Depot Village, or pass any vote to take in fee any land in the Depot Village for the purpose of erecting thereon a building to be used for the purposes of a high school, and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 48. To see if the town will vote to name the streets and ways of the Town of Palmer, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 49. To see if the town will vote to erect signs in the Depot Village, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 50. To see what action the town will take regarding the use of the hearse owned by the town, and the expenditure of money for opening graves.

ART. 51. To see if the town will vote to maintain an organized police force, adopt rules and regulations for the same, or take any action relative thereto and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART 52. To see if the town will vote to accept and allow a town way, as laid out by the Selectmen, in the Depot Village, and described as follows, viz :—Beginning at a stone bound on the north-easterly side of North Main street at a point five and seventy-five one hundredths (5.75) feet measured westerly on the line of said North Main street from the southerly corner of land of Lucy A. and Charles A. Royce: thence running N. 17 degrees, 59 minutes E. eight hundred and seventy-four feet to a stone bound on the southerly side of a highway leading from the dwelling house of Purlin M. Shearer to Palmer Center. The easterly line of said way is parallel with the above described line and fifty (50) feet distant easterly therefrom.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the different public places designate by the vote of the town, seven days at least before the holding of said meeting, and cause this warrant to be printed in the Palmer Journal at least two issues before the holding of said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, on or before the holding of said meeting.

Given under our hands this third day of March, A. D. 1909.

HENRY W. HOLBROOK,	} Selectmen of Palmer.
WILLIAM LAWTON,	
JOHN F. HAYDEN,	







